

FRENCH GAINING AT BOTH ENDS OF GREAT BATTLE LINE

Allies Continue to Extend Their Lines Northward

The Allies Stand at Cambrai During the Retreat From Mons
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The battle of Cambrai was part of the action in the British retreat from Mons beginning Aug. 27 and lasting till Aug. 31. Dr. Monroe Hopkins, a surgeon with the English army, supplied the artist with the data for the picture.

BOMBARDMENT OF FIRST LINE OF FORTS SOUTH OF ANTWERP IS CONTINUED

Official Statement Declares Defenders' Positions Suffered Little, and They Repulsed Attacks by Infantry.

Antwerp, Oct. 1.—An official communication from the Belgian government, according to Reuters, Telegram Co.

The day's bombardment of the first line of forts south of Antwerp has occurred. In the forts from the Scheldt to the Sene, during and violent German attacks have been repelled by the Belgians, who were well supported by their artillery. The German losses were proportionate to the tenacity of their attacks.

"In the direction of Termonde, the offensive movement was of no great importance, consisting of a long distance bombardment which had no appreciable effect on the defense. The Belgians are guarding the approaches to the town. Between the rivers there is no notable change. In short, the German bombardment has produced no result, and the troops remain in their positions, and their courage is admirable as shown by the successful resistance to the attacks."

"Malines has been recaptured by the Belgians," says the Antwerp correspondent of the Reuters Telegram Co. His dispatch continues:

"The German attack renewed the bombardment of Antwerp (a manufacturing town nine miles south of Antwerp) and Huyt-Ouden-berg (a town near Antwerp). In the tower of the Church of St. Gommarius, the convent of the Blanc Sisters and some houses have been struck by shells. Four women have been wounded. Most of the dis-

trict has been completely deserted by the civilian population."

The Church of St. Gommarius, one of the finest late Gothic churches in Belgium, was begun in 1435 and completed in 1527. Recently it was restored. Three of its fine stained glass windows were presented by Emperor Maximilian.

Berlin Announces Burgomaster of Brussels Is in Custody.
The following official dispatch has been received by wireless from Berlin: "The German Military Governor of Brussels has announced the arrest of Burgomaster Max by public poster as follows:

"I have found myself obliged to suspend Burgomaster Max from his office on account of his irreconcilable attitude. He is now in honorable custody in a fortress."

Crown Princess Cecilie Goes to Front to Decorate Officers

LONDON, Oct. 1.—In a dispatch from Berlin, sent by way of The Hague, a correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Co. says that Cecilie, the German Crown Princess, accompanied by her two eldest sons, has left Berlin to join the Crown Prince at his headquarters in France. She purposes personally to bestow decorations upon officers of her dragon regiment.

Cruiser Leipzig Sinks British Ship in Peruvian Waters
CALLAO, Peru, Oct. 1.—The German steamer Marie arrived here today with the crew of the British steamer Bankfield, which was sunk by the German cruiser Leipzig off Eten, Peru.

COMMANDER OF THE FIRST AUSTRIAN ARMY HAS CHOLERA

Gen. Von Auffenberg, Ex-War Minister, Said to Have Relinquished Command.

By Associated Press.
PARIS, Oct. 1.—It is officially announced by Austria-Hungary, says a dispatch from Rome to the Havas Agency, that Gen. von Auffenberg, commanding the First Austrian Army, is ill.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—It is reported from Vienna, according to a Rome dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., that the Austrian General, Von Auffenberg, former Austrian Minister of War, has been obliged to relinquish his command of one of the Austrian armies because of serious illness.

A later dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. from Rome states that Gen. von Auffenberg is suffering from cholera, according to a message from Vienna.

Gen. von Auffenberg, who was Minister of War in the Austrian Cabinet from Sept. 19, 1911, until Dec. 9, 1912, was in command of the first Austrian army when war was declared. With the army of Gen. Dankl he began an offensive campaign in Russian Poland and had some preliminary successes, invading Russian territory as far as Lublin. The Austrian reverse at Lemberg, however, changed the situation in the north and for a time the position of Gen. von Auffenberg's army was said to be precarious, as the Russians threatened to cut him off. By desperate fighting he managed to retreat safely to Rzeszow, Galicia, where he again formed a junction with Gen. Dankl and the two armies retired toward Tarnow and Cracow. The last definite news received of Gen. von Auffenberg was that he was commanding the center of a new and extended defensive front with his base at Tarnow.

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GERMANS REPORT JAPANESE LOSS OF 2500 AT TSINGTAU

Fire From German Warships and Machine Guns Deadly to Attacking Force.

By Associated Press.
PEKING, China, Oct. 1, 7:35 p. m.—A German report from Tsingtau, the fortified position of the Kiaochow territory, sent by carrier pigeon to Tientsin in Shantung Province, and thence to Peking by telegraph, indicates that the German retreat from the second line of defenses around Tsingtau, which took place Monday, was due to the overwhelming strength of the Japanese.

Continuing, this report says that the Japanese losses were 1700 killed and 800 wounded as a result of the fire from the German warships, coupled with the fire of machine guns on land. At the German Legation in Peking it was said today that Germans caused the destruction early this week of the railroad bridge at Ta-Yu-Ho, six miles west of Weishien, and that they will cause other bridges to be dynamited if the Japanese continue their westward movement. They will dynamite also all the Government buildings at Tsingtau when a further defense of that place becomes impossible.

The Japanese Legation had today expressed the belief that the troops now attacking Tsingtau would await the arrival of siege guns.

German Aeroplanes Aid in Warships' Attack on Japanese.

TOKIO, Oct. 1.—A severe engagement has been opened by the German warships, which cannonaded the Japanese positions near Tsingtau, east of the Government of Kiaochow, the German leased territory in China. Two Japanese officers were killed. German aeroplanes assisting the warships.

The Japanese War Office announces that an artillery duel at Tsingtau continues. A German torpedo boat destroyer sank in the harbor yesterday. Apparently this ship was not in action. From other sources it is said that the

Berlin Announces 8000 New Casualties; General Is Killed

BERLIN, Oct. 1 (via The Hague and London), 3:35 p. m.—The thirty-eighth German casualty list, made public today, contains about 8000 names. It includes three Major-Generals, one killed and two wounded. Major-General Scherbening was killed, while Major-General Emil Henigst was slightly wounded and Major-General Oskar Reuter was dangerously wounded.

The latest previous German casualty list received in dispatches to the United States accounted for a total of 104,559 casualties up to Sept. 28 as follows: Dead, 15,674; wounded, 65,908; missing, 23,007.

French Hero of Boxer Campaign Killed in Battle.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—The name of Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. J. B. Beuchon, a hero of the Boxer campaign in China, where he used for the first time the new French cannon known as "75," appears among the list of "killed on the field of honor." Well-known public men, including actors and several abbés, are also listed.

Six Additional Deaths of British Officers Announced.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The official report of casualties among British officers, in dispatches under date of Sept. 24 and 26 from general headquarters, includes five killed, 16 wounded, one dead of wounds and two missing.

Among the wounded is Brigadier-General Frederick D. V. Wing, commanding the Third Division, Royal Artillery. Gen. Wing won distinction in the South African War, where he took part in many important operations and the defense of Ladysmith.

Court Denies Receiver for Krupp Assets in England

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The High Court denied today the application, made on behalf of a British creditor, of the German gun-making firm of Krupp, to appoint a receiver for the firm's assets in England, which are estimated at more than \$1,000,000. The Court pointed out that the creditor was safe and that the Krupp money could not be transferred to Germany.

Counsel for the plaintiff argued that shares might be transferred to some American firm until after the war, and then retransferred to the Krupp company. "After the war you could sue the Krupp company," remarked the Justice.

"But the security would then be gone," rejoined the lawyer. The Court gave leave to appeal.

"Busy Berthas" Is a New Name of the German Guns

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The Times' correspondent at Copenhagen says the German guns are known as "Busy Berthas," being so named in honor of Frau Krupp von Bohlen.

GERMANS' HEAVIEST COUNTER ATTACKS IN AISNE-OISE ANGLE

French Military Expert Points Out That Present Situation of Von Kluck's Army Is Similar to One Which Displeased Kaiser at 1909 Maneuvers.

By ASSOCIATED PRESS.

PARIS, 2:55 p. m., Oct. 1.—The following official communication was given out here this afternoon:

"There has been no modification in the general situation. We have, nevertheless, made progress on our left, to the north of the Somme, and our right in the southern Woëvre district."

LONDON, Oct. 1.—An official statement issued from German general headquarters, under date of the evening of Sept. 30, is given in a dispatch to Reuters Telegram Co. from Berlin via Amsterdam. It says:

"The hostile forces advancing to the north and south of Albert (a town of France, 18 miles northeast of Amiens) have been repulsed. The front battle line is without news."

"In Argonne our attack is progressing steadily, though slowly. At the outer forts on the Meuse the line is without change."

"Yesterday the enemy advanced in Alsace and Lorraine in the center Vosges. His attacks were energetically repulsed. The eastern theater is without news."

Situation Like German Right Wing's Displeased the Kaiser in Maneuvers

PARIS, Oct. 1.—The Germans continue the fierce attack in the angle formed by the rivers Oise and Aisne, in the direction of Tracy-le-Mont, just northeast of the forest of the Aigu, which has already been the scene of a success on the part of the allies. Here the French lines have thus far held solidly as the attempts made to break them have been futile. The contest has been singularly desperate, but the allies by daring counter maneuvers have checked the bold attempts of their adversaries.

Lieutenant-Colonel Roussel, the military critic writing to the Petit Parisien, quotes the sentence from the official communication reading: "On our left wing to the north of the Somme, the action continues to develop more and more toward the north," and says:

"Curiously I remember perfectly, having seen at the German imperial maneuvers of 1909, something analogous to the actual situation of the German forces today. A certain corps of the attacking army, disappointed in a maneuver which it had contemplated against the left flank of the enemy, found itself at the end of the day compressed between two lines of fire which had the form of the letter V reversed. It is useless to say that the German Emperor was not at all satisfied, and I doubt if he be more so today in seeing this singular operation happen again at his great loss."

Critic Sees Confusion in German Lines

"Having been unable to oppose our extension toward the north, the Germans struggled to break at its summit the angular line we occupy. Against Tracy-le-Mont they delivered a furious attack, which appears to have cost them dear. Perhaps it is not yet the last one. I imagine, however, that such assaults would become more and more rare, because they will wear out when unsuccessful. The tactics of the Germans in seeking to strike at the same time upon two points over a hundred kilometers (about 62 miles) away indicates a certain confusion and it will be quite extraordinary if this can continue long."

The following official communication was issued last night: "The general situation is satisfactory. There has been no change of any account at the front except to the south of Woëvre, where we have occupied Seicheprey and advanced as far as the slopes to Rupt de Mad."

Germans, in Wedge Movement, Destroy French Village of Albert

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Telegraphing from Paris yesterday, the correspondent of the Daily Mail described the complete destruction by the heavy German artillery of the open and unfortified town of Albert, 18 miles from Amiens, which has been the scene, during the past few days, of a prolonged and deadly artillery battle. He says:

"The struggle on the part of the Germans to prevent their right wing being turned compelled them continually to push their front further north and to the west, while the allies continually replied by extending their front to overlap the enemy, both sides bringing up large reinforcements. This necessitated long marches of 20 to 25 miles a day, and the Germans were repeatedly called upon to make a desperate effort in order to avoid being outflanked, whereby they suffered very heavy losses."

Germans Suffer Heavy Losses Around Albert

"Saturday they began to realize that their efforts were in vain, and therefore changed their tactics and tried to drive a wedge into the allies' front. The point of that wedge was the town of Albert."

"The attempt almost succeeded. They brought up and massed their artillery, and the French infantry suffered considerably. They kept up a fire so rapid in character that at night the whole sky was lit up by bursting shells. Sunday they gained perceptibly, and Monday they still were on the

ENGLISH INTREPIDITY SHOWN IN STORES OF ACTION FROM BATTLE OF SEDAN

At the time the French had brought up large numbers of their famous batteries, and their deadly fire checked the German advance. Yesterday (Tuesday) the enemy kept up his effort gamely, but by late afternoon it had clearly failed of its aim. There were French batteries on various points around Albert, but none within a mile of the town. At 9 o'clock German shells from their heavy guns began to fall. Here is account of the scene from an eyewitness who was on a hill overlooking Albert:

"We were warned along the road to be careful and saw a vast column of people coming away from the town, but nothing happened until 5:10 when we heard a deep bomb, quite unlike the noise made by an ordinary field gun, and a shell, evidently of much greater force and size, fell in the town. We thought it might be an accident of misdirection and then, to our indignation, the shells began to fall rapidly. They came in bunches. There were several batteries at work and their aim was excellent. I only saw two shells burst outside the town. The place collapsed literally like a pack of cards that had been built up into houses, as every moment something fresh fell. Now it was the town hall, now a group of cottages and then a church wall."

Destruction of Town Like Stage Melodrama.

"It reminded me of a scene in a Drury Lane melodrama. One could believe without an effort that one was seeing a real town shelled. It just as if some inventor had made a new kind of explosive and had had his friends to see it demolish a model of a town. I stayed there four, fascinated."

"That brings the story up to 6:15, when the witness left with some friends who had been brought out of the town. The road toward Amiens had time was packed with refugees of all ages, and old men and women, too feeble to walk, were being wheeled in barrows."

"At half past six a number of fires, lighting up the whole country, were visible. Looking toward Albert, they appeared to be hayricks that had been set alight by shells. The largest of these red glares, however, was Albert, on fire. Against the flaming background the tall spire of a church stood out uninjured up to 8 o'clock, but it was impossible to enter the town, as the heat was too great and the streets too unsafe."

German Reported Preparing for Possible Retreat.

A Rotterdam dispatch to the Daily News says:

"Dispatches from the South indicate that preparations for the retreat of the German right have already begun. German troops have been observed coming from the north of France toward Tournai and Mons prepared to cover the main army in case of retreat."

A dispatch from Ghent to the Express, dated Wednesday, declares the Germans have built five heavy pontoon bridges across the River Meuse between Givet and Namur, apparently to facilitate their retirement from France. All their wounded, the dispatch says, have been removed from Brussels.

Allies Husbanding Lives of Men by Avoiding Frontal Attacks

FROM THE BATTLE FRONT, Sept. 30, via Paris, Oct. 1.—This was the seventeenth day of continued hard fighting along the 150-mile front from the Somme to the Meuse, and yet there is no definite indication that the battle is nearing a finish. There are, however, evidences that the Germans are receding before a forcible and sustained pushing from the allied armies, especially on their western and eastern wings, while the center, where the Germans are more strongly entrenched than at any other point, with heavy artillery, remains almost stationary.

It is generally concluded by French military men that some important move must soon be made by the Germans, who have found it impossible to advance the allies, though they offered the sternest and most desperate resistance, sacrificing thousands of men daily.

The German wings appear to be folding back on the center, leaving the sole loophole for a backward movement by way of Bethel.

The Germans' main supply base at Juniville, which is protected by heavy masses of troops, as it is absolutely essential that this place shall be held for the revictualing of the German armies in Northeastern France, appears to be placed in a somewhat precarious situation with its single line of railroad.

The battle line has changed considerably since the beginning of the actual contact between the two great armies, whose numbers and real position it is not permitted to make public. The front now presents sinuous windings, looping inward and outward at various points in a country which everywhere is wonderfully adapted to defense.

The allies' commanders are husbanding their men's lives to the greatest possible extent by keeping them from frontal attack on positions where the Germans are in advantageous situations; but whenever the plan of campaign necessitates direct attacks, the French and British soldiers go forward cheerfully with the utmost confidence in their leaders.

France Revives Army Post of Marshal; Soon to Be Filled

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Although at the present moment there is no Marshal of France, says a Bordeaux dispatch to the Havas Agency, a decree dated Sept. 29 fixes the salary of this post at 30,000 francs (\$6000).

The Matin points out that this is a significant step. The post of Marshal of France is the highest dignity obtainable in the French army, and although it was originally a royalist post, the rank was retained when the French army was reconstituted in 1875, with the proviso that the conditions under which the rank would be bestowed should be fixed later.

British Outlay Increases \$230,000,000 Owing to War

LONDON, Oct. 1.—For the first half of the financial year ending yesterday the British national revenue amounted approximately to \$80,000,000, a decrease of \$100,000 as compared with last year. The expenditures aggregated \$207,000,000, showing an increase of nearly \$230,000,000 due to the war.

Prosperity Returns

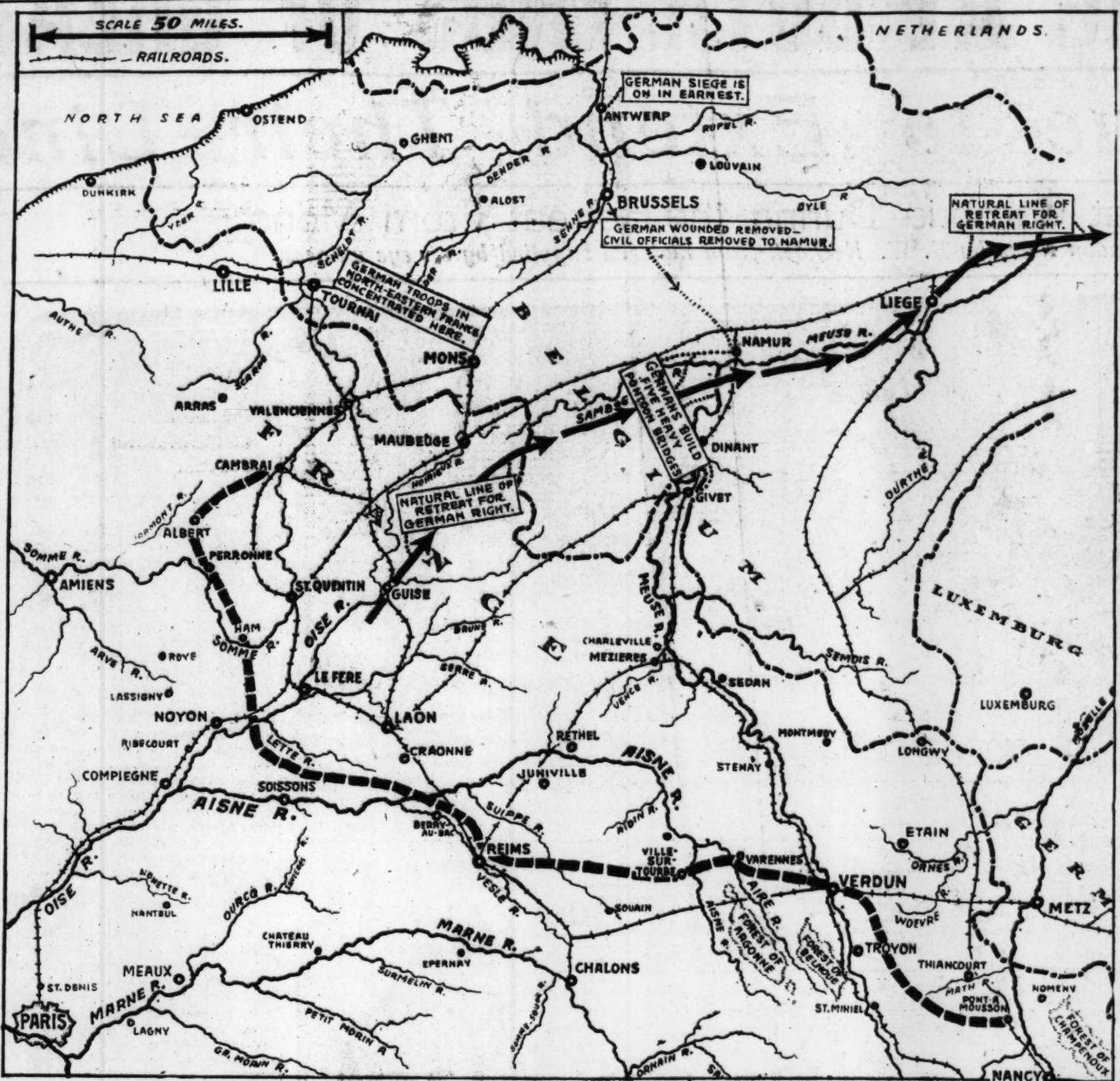
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Map of Operations in Northern France and Belgium as They Appear Today



Germans Have Failed to Regain Offensive, Expert Demonstrates

By the Military Expert of the New York Evening Sun.

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ACTUAL fighting on the line of the Aisne began Saturday, Sept. 12, near Soissons. On the following day the British and French before and about Soissons forced the passage of the river, and effected a lodgment on the first hills above the town, which form the southern edge of the Craonne plateau. Further advance was checked by the German heavy artillery, which was discovered solidly placed on cement platforms and protected by a mass of trenches and earthworks.

Since Sept. 12, when the battle of the Aisne opened, there have been a number of phases which have in turn been the central circumstances in terrific conflicts. They may be summed up in the statement that, at the outset of the conflict the allied purpose was to prevent the Germans from taking root in France about the Champagne Hills; this having failed, there followed more struggles, provoked by the efforts of the Germans, having reorganized their forces after retreat, to retake the offensive and resume their march to Paris.

In these earlier phases, there was terrific fighting north and east of Soissons, on the Craonne Plateau and about Rheims. In their attempt the Germans, like the allies, failed, and in the operation two parallel lines of intrenchments, from the Oise to the Meuse, were stretched straight across Northern France.

Noyon Forts a Check.

The next major operation, beginning about 10 days ago, was the French thrust at Von Kluck's right flank. In the pursuit of the Germans from the Marne the army of Paris had been on Von Kluck's right flank until it reached Noyon. Here fortifications on the Noyon Hills and along the Somme in front of St. Quentin and Peronne temporarily checked the flanking movement. Further delay was caused by the condition of the roads.

This operation was not abandoned, however, and last week London dispatches described the advance of the French, coming around by the lower Somme, through Amiens, and then turning east toward St. Quentin, La Cateau and Ronsel, to all of which they are described as having advanced. Reaching these towns, they were squarely on one line of the railroads supplying Von Kluck and were stretching out toward the second, and, in fact, the life line of the German descending from Belgium to Laon. Could this advantage be pressed, it was clear Von Kluck would be cut off from Western Belgium, driven east toward Von Buslow's army, and away from his line of supplies.

German Trench Offensive.

But at this point the Germans, bringing up new army corps, took the offensive vigorously from Noyon to Le Cateau and drove the allies back upon Amiens, Albert and beyond Bapaume on the west, while an offensive from Noyon pushed the allied forces before this town beyond Lassigny, which had been captured by the allies, and back upon Roye to the west and Rilecourt to the south. In sum, this German operation temporarily blocked the great flanking move of the allies and gained from 10 to 20 miles on a front of some 50, west of the German line of communication.

What forces the allies have remained a profound secret. There were reports of a fresh British force, presumably including Indian troops, which had been landed at Boulogne, Calais and even Ostend and sent east and south.

Gen. d'Amade, commanding the French contingent, was also described as having been heavily reinforced. But after several days of confidence, disclosed in optimistic Paris and London dispatches, it is plain that things on this field took a bad turn for the allies. The hoped-for success was not achieved and the ground gained was lost.

Meantime, far to the east, the German broke out with a flanking movement of their own. The army of the Crown Prince north of Verdun moved south between the Argonne and the Meuse to cut Verdun off on that side, and reach Varennes and Clermont. At the same time the Bavarian army, moving out from Metz and toward the south of the Meuse, south of Verdun, succeeded in forcing a passage of the Meuse between Verdun and Toul and taking one of the barrier forts near St. Mihiel.

Would Open Short Road.

Such an advantage, if pressed, would mean the complete isolation of Verdun, which was under severe bombardment by the great German siege guns brought from Metz. Verdun taken, a short road from Southern Germany to Northeastern France would be open. Army corps retained in Belgium to protect the line of communication would be recalled, and the numerical advantage lost by the Germans might be regained and the offensive toward Paris take up again.

But, like the French flanking movement, the German failed. From Nancy the French brought up the army corps which had repulsed the attacks before that city. Striking north from Toul, these fresh troops presently came in on the flank and rear of the Bavarian army, and it had to recede. St. Mihiel was retaken, together with Beaumont and Apremont, and yesterday the German official statement conceded failure in this quarter.

In the meantime the allies on Von Kluck's right, reinforced and taking advantage of the railroads in their hands, began to move north and west, in a new effort to get around the Germans and upon their line of communications.

Von Kluck's Position.

What success this move has had remains in doubt. French official statements yesterday indicated that it was developing steadily, going more and more to the north. That is, repulsed at St. Quentin and Cambrai, the allies were striking at Cambrai.

AUSTRIA PROMISES ITALY TO REMOVE MENACE TO SHIPS

Deplores Sinking of Italian Vessels by Mines and Also Pledges Indemnity.

By Associated Press.

ROME, Oct. 1, via London.—The Austrian Government has replied to the Italian protest against the floating mines in the Adriatic Sea. Austria deplores the sinking of Italian vessels and promises to take measures to remove the menace to shipping and to fully indemnify the families of the victims.

It is reported that Italy demands an indemnity from Austria of \$1,000,000. Floating mines in the Adriatic, according to an anonymous source made today, already have caused 19 deaths, which has aroused Italian feeling against those responsible.

Rumors are current here that an Italian torpedo boat struck a floating mine off Comacchio and sank with the loss of her crew.

The Minister of Marine states that he has no confirmation of the report, but that he has ordered it investigated. Comacchio is a fortified town 25 miles east-southeast of Ferrara, in the midst of the lagoons termed Vail di Comacchio, three miles from the Adriatic.

A fishing boat was blown up by an Austrian floating mine 20 miles off Ancona. Eight of her crew were killed. Another mine was washed ashore at Pesaro.

Factories manufacturing big guns are working night and day to finish the supply of modern cannon, which has been ordered for the Italian army. The firms hope to be able to hasten the work to such an extent that the whole army will be provided with these cannon in a few weeks.

An order has been issued to hasten the preparation of the supply of provisions and ammunition for the troops.

Italy Ready to Protest to Turkey Against Abrogation.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—Italy is ready to make a protest to Turkey against the abrogation of the capitulations at Constantinople, according to a Rome dispatch to the Havas Agency.

Red Cross Urges More United Action in Women's Aid Work.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The American Red Cross today issued an appeal for a more united effort on the part of women's social clubs and organizations and church societies in support of the European relief work of the society. The appeal was in response to letters from club women who suggested that there was a splendid opportunity for more united work in furthering the mission of mercy of the Red Cross.

Britain Calls for 1000 Men to Run the French Railways.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The British War Office has issued a call for 1000 expert railroad men to assist in the operation of the French railway.

SECOND SEDAN BATTLE WON BY FRENCH DURING RETREAT FROM BELGIUM

Obtained Revenge, on Historic Field, for Defeat of 1870—Enemy, Cut Off by Mining of Bridges, Lost Thousands.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—During the retreat of the allies southward from Belgian frontier, a month ago, the French troops exacted from the Germans revenge for the French defeat at Sedan 44 years before. At Sedan, while on the Meuse a few miles south of the Belgian border, the French army, headed by the Emperor, Napoleon III, was surrounded and captured on 2, 1870.

On the Sedan battlefield, according to the Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail, the Germans suffered one of the worst defeats of their present invasion. They were led into a trap which cost them thousands of men, he says.

The French could have held their position indefinitely, but strategy required them to continue falling back with the remainder of the allies along the line. Here is the story of the second battle of Sedan, as told by the correspondent:

"The French General ordered his troops to fall back across the river and take up positions on the opposite heights. The bridges were mined, but were left standing in order to deceive the Germans into thinking that the French were retreating hastily. The ruse succeeded. The Germans advanced across the bridges in close formation. When several German regiments had crossed, the French blew up the bridges, and the French artillery started firing at a hundred German columns which retreated hastily to the river, only to find the bridges gone."

Carnage Lasts All Day.

"The French regiments then advanced with quick-firers and the merciless slaying continued until dusk. Many Germans threw down their arms and attempted to swim the river and large numbers were drowned. When night-fall came the French brought up searchlights and continued the work of carnage."

"The artillery threw shells at the rate of a dozen rounds a minute into the German ranks and varied its tactics by incendiary shells into the forests where part of the German force had taken refuge. The burning woods lit up the whole front of 15 miles."

"In the morning an armistice of two hours was granted to allow the Germans to bury their dead. The French had suffered the loss of only a handful."

DOGGED PERSISTENCE OF FRENCH WON A POSITION.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Amiens, under date of Sunday, in describing the heavy fighting around Peronne, which has been taken and retaken at various times, says it is impossible to hear of the dogged courage of the French troops without a thrill of warm admiration.

"At 11 o'clock one morning," he says, "the French advance was subjected to a terrible concentrated fire and it seemed impossible for the troops to hold their ground. The French artillery had to abandon position after position."

"At 2 o'clock the shells began to fall around the cross roads where the staff was located, and the General in command was urged to quit. 'No,' he said, 'so long as I live here we cannot retreat, and we have simply got to hold on.'"

"He said this time when three farms close by were in flames. He held it and meant it, and he saved the day. At 3 o'clock he was still there and at 4 o'clock the German attack was pushed forward. That evening the French guns were occupying the positions which the German guns had held all day. The General had held on."

FRENCH BUILD TRENCHES CRAFTILY, FOOL AIRMEN.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A correspondent of the Chronicle, telegraphing from a "Hill village in France," says:

"Around this village I saw a great deal of military activity, which is interesting to anyone who can read between the lines of newsy dog tramps and make a good guess as to how things are going by the direction of certain troops."

"These French soldiers make their trenches wonderfully well. I watched them at their task and they made a work of art, constructing the defense most craftily with grass and leaves and twigs, so that even German aviators, flying low, lower than the French aviator, who was working through the sky, so that I could hear the voice of his engine, 200 feet high—would never perceive these pits."

"Along the warpath, where French riflemen could point a withering fire upon the enemy's battalions, refugees of diggers worked cheerfully and as they went away the new ground shrouding their tracks, and showed their marching ways came to the across the fields and were sweeter music than the roar of the guns and the rumble of covered carts bringing back the dead."

"I pitied the horses of the cavalry. Recent rains and incessant fatigue have injured these poor creatures so that all along the high roads and in the ditches of leafy lanes there are the bodies of those who stumbled for the last time and then fell down dead."

"So the sacrifice goes on of man and beast and the autumn sunshine bathes all this horror of war with its golden light through the day and in the darkness the guns are never silent and each time they speak death is sure of its victims."

Who Started War?

Ha! A Clew! British Diplomat Fired Cook

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The Standard's correspondent at Amsterdam says the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger has published an editorial on the causes of the war in which it offers, as proof of Great Britain's culpability, the discharge of Sir Edward Goschen's cook. Sir Edward was British Ambassador to Germany. The Lokal Anzeiger says:

"As an uncontestable proof that England wanted war all the time, and was secretly preparing for it long before this crisis occurred, may be cited the fact that the English Ambassador dismissed his female German cook, July 20, five days before war was declared."

"While telephonic and other negotiations were being conducted between Sir Edward Grey and Ambassador Lichnowsky, and while England pretended to the outside world that she was interested in the preservation of peace, the English Ambassador in Berlin was evidently quite clear about it ending in hostilities, as is evidenced by the discharging of his cook, above mentioned."

"We only regret that five valuable days—i. e., from the moment the cook was dismissed until the moment of declaration of war, were lost in futile pourparlers."

"The famous cook has now become a great historic personality, constituting as she does the most important landmark in the history of the world."

Rumanian Ship Sunk by Mine and Only One of Crew Is Saved.

VENICE, via Paris, Oct. 1.—The Rumanian sailing ship Maria struck an Austrian mine and sank off Istria in the Adriatic Monday. Only one of the crew was saved.

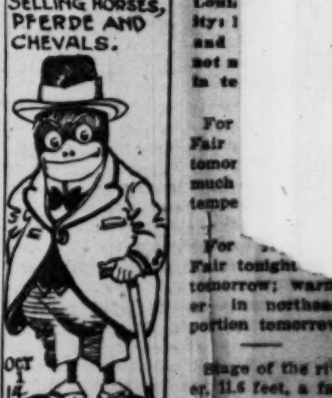
FAIR WEATHER TONIGHT, TO CONTINUE TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

8 a. m.	65	9 a. m.	70
11 a. m.	70	1 p. m.	75
3 p. m.	78	5 p. m.	80
7 p. m.	75	9 p. m.	70
11 p. m.	65	1 a. m.	60
3 a. m.	55	5 a. m.	50
7 a. m.	45	9 a. m.	40

Yesterday's Temperature:
High, 79 at 3 p. m. Low, 37 at 6 a. m.

ST. LOUIS IS SELLING HORSES, PFERDE AND CHEVALS.



For Fair tonight tomorrow; warm in in morning; fair tomorrow.

Stage of the river, 11.5 feet, a fall of 3 of a foot.

American Nurses to Take Northern Route to Russia

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The American Red Cross units destined for Russia will leave tomorrow for Danzig, whence they will proceed to Sweden. They will be in charge of Dr. W. S. Magill and Dr. Edward Esbert. Each unit will be composed of 12 nurses and three physicians. Miss Helen East Hay, formerly superintendent of the Illinois Training School, will accompany them.

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This Evening
Briggs-Vanderhoof-Pearson
OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH

CZAR'S TROOPS DEFEAT GERMANS IN POLAND; REPULSED BY HUNGARIANS

RUSSIAN GERMAN POSITIONS IN FIERCE FIGHTING

Staff at Petrograd Announces Victory Near Augustowo and Says German Bombardment of Polish Fortress at Caszvetz Continues Without Success.

HUNGARIANS RETAKE PASS IN CARPATHIANS

Berlin Announces Russians' Attempt to Get Into Hungary Has Been Repulsed—Baltic Shore Batteries Drive Away German Ships

PETROGRAD, Oct. 1.—The following statement has been issued by the chief of the Russian staff:

"On Sept. 28 the Russian troops, after fierce fighting, captured the German positions near Augustowo and Kopskoye, capturing 100 prisoners. The German side very continues bombarding our positions without success. Small engagements near Ichtchenontz and the city of Andreyevka have taken place."

PASS IN CARPATHIANS

Russians' Attempt to Get Into Hungary Has Been Repulsed

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The Russian dispatches from the Carpathians have been received. An official Russian statement issued in Berlin says the Russian troops have been repulsed in their attempt to cross the Carpathians. The Russian troops have been repulsed in their attempt to cross the Carpathians. The Russian troops have been repulsed in their attempt to cross the Carpathians.

Scenes of Fighting in Eastern Theater of War and a Victorious Russian General

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England's King Inspecting the Nation's Reservists



SCENES such as this bring the war close to all English homes. The younger army men are all going to the front leaving these elderly reservists as the home guardians of the United Kingdom. In the ranks lined up before the King in this picture are London merchants, bankers and lawyers. Some of them are veterans of the Boer war. All are ready at a few hours' notice to don their equipment and shoulder their rifles to repel any invaders who may menace British soil.

are reported to have occurred in Vienna and Graz.

Austrian Seamen Reported Shot for Giving Information to French.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—A Havas dispatch from Trieste, dated Sept. 28, says the Austrian seamen, reported to have been arrested and summarily shot at Castelnuovo, Dalmatia, on suspicion of giving information to the French warships regarding the position of mines in the Adriatic.

Servians Said to Have Driven Austrians Back With Great Loss.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—A Havas dispatch from Nish, dated Sept. 28, says the Servians Sept. 25 on the Drina-Sava frontier drove the enemy back with enormous losses to the Austrians.

Accuracy of Russian Artillery Praised by Berlin Paper.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The Standard's correspondent at Antwerp quotes the Local Anzeiger, one of the leading newspapers of Berlin, as saying that the Russian field artillery merits the universal recognition of German troops, and continues:

"If the first volley of a battery missed the mark, and the second is inadequate, the third hits straight at the target. And we note those aimed at, who have not changed their position. Their annihilation in such a case is inevitable."

The specialty of Russian artillery consists in striking the staffs of an enemy's army, and all observation points occupied by the leaders of a hostile force is immediately subjected to the deadliest conceivable fire. This necessitates constant change of position on the part of German commanders."

Austrian Troops Leave France for Russian Front.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A message from Maestricht, according to a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam, says 5000 Austrian troops have arrived at Aix-la-Chapelle from France on the way to the Austro-Russian front.

Russian Batteries at Windau Twice Drive Away German Warships.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—A Petrograd special to the Havas Agency, dated Sept. 30, says:

"The details of the naval engagement which occurred Sept. 24 off the coast at Windau, a Russian seaport in Courland on the Baltic, have been made public. It appears the German squadron, comprising 40 ships of all classes, appeared off the harbor and were prevented from landing forces by the heavy fire from the forts. One officer and two sailors were killed and three more were drowned."

"The ships withdrew, but on the day following two cruisers returned, opened fire and destroyed the lighthouse. They killed a civilian and a number of soldiers, but were driven off again by the fire from the forts."

Russian Advance Continues, Says Report to Embassy Attaché.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Col. Golovinski, military attaché of the Russian Embassy, today issued the following official report from Petrograd:

"On Sept. 28, after stubborn fighting, our troops have captured the German positions at Augustowo and Kopskoye. On Sept. 29 we took the duffles between the lakes at Simno, Sereje and Lejony."

"The Germans have been driven back into the region between Suwalki, Sejny and Marianopol. Our advance continues. German siege artillery continues the bombardment of Caszvetz, but without success. At Schutkin and at Andreyevka only unimportant skirmishes are reported."

Lipton's Yacht, Now Hospital Ship, Arrives in French Port.

HAVER, France, Oct. 1.—Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht Erin, which has been transformed into a hospital ship, has arrived here. On board the Erin were the Duchess of Westminster and a number of nurses.

France and Russia to Buy 1000 American Motor Trucks.

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 1.—Thirty-seven representatives of American motor truck manufacturers, who have been demonstrating their trucks here for several weeks, were informed today by E. G. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel Co., that recommendations for the types of 1000 trucks wanted by France and Russia for use in the war, have been made by a committee of French army officers now in South Bethlehem, but that the contracts will not be awarded today.

The Bethlehem Steel Co. it was learned here, is the purchasing agent for Russia and France for motor trucks and large supplies, such as shoes, blankets and horsehoes.

Government Seized Autos as Americans Enjoyed Free Opera.

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—The White Star liner Arabic, with 500 American tourists from the war zone aboard, arrived last night from Liverpool and Queenstown.

Charles E. Russell of New York, who had gone abroad to attend the international Socialist congress at Vienna, told of a ruse of the German officials at Munich to obtain possession of private automobiles.

"The city officials invited many of our stranded foreigners in the city to a performance of 'Parafal' at a local theater," he said. "As a result of the invitation the theater was crowded and many expressions of pleasure at the hospitality of the Germans were made. After the performance was over, the rich Americans and others who had come in automobiles found that every machine in front of the theater had been confiscated."

Kaiser Told His Men to Walk on "Contemptible Little English Army."

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The Times today says that it is able to give from a thoroughly trustworthy source the text of an order issued by Emperor William to his army on Aug. 19. It follows:

"It is my royal and imperial command that you concentrate your energies for the immediate present upon the single purpose, and that is that you address all your skill and all the valor of my soldiers to exterminate first the treacherous English and walk over Gen. French's contemptible little army."

\$5,000,000 of Pool Fund Is Sent by Canada to England.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The first shipment of gold to Ottawa, Canada, for account of the \$10,000,000 pool raised to pay indebtedness abroad, was made today, when \$5,000,000 in coin and bars was taken from the treasury and sent to the managers of the fund to ship at least \$25,000,000 to Canada by the middle of the month.

There was a further decline in exchange on London today, in consequence of the fact that the British Government is now planning to demand a cent under that quotation, exchange now is about five cents under its high rate of the early week.

Dardanelles Will Remain Closed Until Fleets Leave.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A dispatch from Constantinople to the Havas Agency states that the newspapers explain the closing of the Dardanelles as due to the fact that English and French cruisers are steaming about the mouth of the Dardanelles and examining merchant steamers. It is asserted that the straits will remain closed until the allied fleets depart.

ENGLAND AGREES TO SHIPMENT OF FOOD TO HOLLAND

United States Had Informed English Ambassador This Country Did Not Accept Arrests of Ships as Being Right of the English Government.

STATE DEPARTMENT ISSUES STATEMENT

Announces That British Government Intends to Revise Proclamation With Regard to Contraband—Denial of Friction.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The British Government today, through Ambassador Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, notified the State Department, that Great Britain would not interfere with shipments of foodstuffs from the United States to Holland.

Great Britain also has agreed to release any seized cargoes as soon as it is established that their destination is Holland. It is understood that Great Britain has impressed upon Holland that according to her duties as a neutral state she must not permit foodstuffs or other cargoes destined for the German army to pass her borders.

The practical effect of the arrangement is expected to be that foodstuffs may possibly pass into Germany if it is clearly established that their use is to be confined to civilians, as in notifying the United States of its action the British stipulated no restrictions on destinations.

The understanding, however, applies only to the status of shipments in transit between the United States and Holland or any other neutral country.

Friction Is Denied.

It was said at the State Department that there had been no friction whatever between the United States and Great Britain or any other country in regard to the disposition of contraband or conditional contraband up to this point.

Announcement of the exemption of American foodstuffs from seizure or diversion is only one step toward the solution of the whole difficult question under the new regulations in the declaration of London. The State Department today gave out the following statement:

"It is understood that the British Government intends to revise its proclamation with regard to contraband, and meanwhile, in neutral ships, goods such as foodstuffs consigned to Holland in respect of which The Netherlands Government have placed an embargo on exportations, will not be treated as contraband."

Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, British Ambassador, has notified the State Department that it is Great Britain's intention to seize goods which may be classified as conditional contraband of war specifically destined for Germany or Austria, even when such shipments are carried in American ships and consigned to neutral ports.

Counselor Lansing, for the United States, has informed Great Britain that the American Government does not accept this view as a fact and that Great Britain has no precedent for maintaining the right either to search or seize an American vessel bound to a neutral port, such as those in Holland, Italy or even Turkey.

Great Britain contends that the Dutch, while proclaiming their neutrality, are actually in sympathy with Germany, and the British Government will insist upon the right of search and does not waive the right of seizure of vessels bound for Holland from the United States and tying the United States flag.

For several days Counselor Lansing of the State Department and the British Ambassador have had the question under discussion.

When Ambassador Spring-Rice called at the State Department today he explained that two cargoes of copper shipped from the United States to the Krupp gun works in Germany, via Holland, had been seized and diverted to England. He said it was believed the copper was to be used in the construction of torpedoes, and that it came distinctly under the classification of conditional contraband.

BRITISH VIEW OF VESSEL ARRESTS

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The vastly important question of preventing or permitting the shipment of supplies which ultimately might be destined for the use of the enemy through neutral Holland is now before the British Government and forms the basis of diplomatic negotiations between England and the United States and England and Holland. The question is of super-importance, because it is no small part of the latter's plans to force Germany to her knees through cutting off her supplies.

The British point of view is readily seen by observers who consider England justified in stopping cargoes, even though she may later be penalized in the prize courts for doing so.

If each stoppage of supplies should lessen the war even by a single day, Great Britain will save herself the damage, as the war is costing her nearly \$5,000,000 daily.

There have been extended negotiations between England and Holland in regard to the Dutch boats which have been detained in English ports, some of which have been arrested on the high seas. Some of these boats have been released after negotiations, but no broad general principle of treatment has been decided upon.

England has asked Holland to give guarantee that nothing aboard the Dutch boats would ever reach Germany. To this Holland refuses, holding that no government is required to give such a guarantee, but Holland has offered England every facility to make investigations in Holland as to the good faith of the Dutch consignees with a view of determining whether the ultimate destination of the supplies might be Germany.

Austria Unable to Get Grain From Italy or Rumania.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The food question is a grave one in Austria, according to a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Chiasso, Switzerland. The Austrian Emperor has issued an edict empowering the government to take all measures necessary to alleviate the situation. The price of corn is double that of normal times, and is increasing at the rate of 3 per cent daily.

German and Austrian dealers are traveling in neutral countries, the dispatch says, trying to buy corn and announcing at the same time that it is intended for other countries. Italy has demanded that the fullest guarantees be given that corn purchased there is not to go to Austria.

Rumania's embargo on the export of corn has caused consternation in Austria, according to the dispatch, and it is said that Austria is now making desperate efforts to get wheat from the United States, but the blockade of the Adriatic makes relief from this quarter doubtful. The shortage of food is also felt in the German army, the dispatch declares.

Wants Stars and Stripes Over Canada; Is Disciplined.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 1.—By a vote of 18 to 2 the Vancouver Board of Trade expelled T. A. Fee, a Vancouver architect and property owner, from the board last night for seditious statements.

Fee was found guilty, by an investigating committee, of having publicly stated that he would not subscribe to any war fund in Canada and that he would rather live under the stars and stripes, anyway.

He also asked, "What has John Bull done for me?" and declared that he would be quite ready to subscribe to a fund to have the United States flag placed over Canada.

Tuckerton Wireless Station Will Resume Business Soon.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The Tuckerton wireless station, which was put out of its operation recently by the buying out of its generator, will resume operations either Friday or Saturday. It was learned at the Navy Department last night.

The naval experts who have been working to repair the damage expect to complete their task Friday, when it is planned to reopen the station to communication between the United States and Germany.

State your offering, or your requirement accurately and concisely in a 15-line Post-Dispatch Want-Ad-it will pay.

Berchtold Makes First Statement on Austria's Reason for Going to War

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.

THE text of an official statement given by the Austrian Foreign Office to the representative of the Newark (N. J.) Evening News has reached this country by courier, via Denmark. The statement followed an audience granted to the Evening News man by Count Berchtold, Austria-Hungary's Minister of Foreign Affairs. It was given about Sept. 10. The statement in full, which the News has copyrighted, is as follows:

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY looks upon this war as a purely defensive one, which has been forced on her by the agitation directed by Russia against her very existence.

Austria-Hungary has given many proofs in late years of her peaceful intention. She refrained from any interference with arms in the Balkan war, though her interests were at stake. Subsequent events have proved what a serious danger the increase in territory and prestige which it brought Serbia were for Austria-Hungary.

Serbia's ambitions have since grown and have been solely directed against the dual monarchy. Russia has tacitly approved of Serbia's action, because Russian statesmen wish to form an iron ring of enemies around Austria-Hungary and Germany in order that Russia's grasp on Constantinople and on Asia should never again be meddled with.

Austria-Hungarian soldiers are fighting for their homes and for the maintenance of their country; the Russians are fighting to help the Russian Czar to gain the rule of the world, to destroy all his neighbors, who may be dangerous to Russian ambitions.

England is helping the Russians to oust the German rival. She feared for some time that German culture and German scientific methods would prove the stronger in a peaceful competition, and she now hopes to crush Germany with the help of Russia and France.

AND France is fighting to win back Alsace-Lorraine, to take her revenge on Germany, which the French nation has been aiming at for the last 44 years. That is how Austria-Hungary looks upon the war. She never wished for territorial increase; she wished for peace and that her people should develop in safety.

Germany equally had nothing to gain by a war, but Germany knows that Austria-Hungary's enemies are her enemies and that the dismemberment of the Hapsburg monarchy would mean the isolation of the German Empire.

And so, after all efforts to keep Russia and England from breaking the peace of Europe had failed, she drew her sword to defend her and her ally's interests.

Truth and honor are on the side of the two empires in this war. The unspeakable inventions and provocations published by the French, Russian and English press in the last weeks alone must prove to the American people who can afford to tell the truth and nothing but the truth in this war.

The Austro-Hungarian and German people have a clear conscience and need fear no misrepresentation of their action.

BRITISH CRUISER TAKES 10 GERMAN SHIPS IN AFRICA

Captures Vessels Containing Cargoes and Coal Off the Cameroons River.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The admiralty announces that the British cruiser Cumberland has captured off the Cameroons River, in West Africa, the Hamburg-American liner Anfried and the following merchant steamers: The Max Brock, Knapa, Amshack, Paul Woermann, Enya, Woermann, Henrietta Woermann, Aline Woermann, Hans Woermann and the Jeanette Woermann.

All were in good order and most of them contained general cargoes and considerable quantities of coal. The European crews have been removed as prisoners, but the native engine-room hands are being retained.

The gunboat Soden also has been captured and has been placed in commission, while it is expected that the floating dock and the Hergislin Ellabehn, which have been sunk, can be raised.

The Cameroons is a German colony of Western Equatorial Africa. It has heretofore been announced that because of the deadly climate of the place the British would not disturb this colony. The announcement of the admiralty, however, indicates that the British naval forces have visited the place and captured the German shipping assembled there.

Britain Fears No Indian Uprising, but Bars Spies.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Dispatches announcing that Great Britain had named Rangoon, Calcutta and Madras as the only ports through which foreigners can enter India, were explained at the British embassy as another precaution against the widespread condition of German espionage in English territory.

The same step has been taken in relation to the entrance of aliens into the British Isles. British officials said the action had no connection with baseless reports of fears of the fomentation of a rebellion in India. The open protestation of loyalty from the Indian princes, and the movement of thousands of native Indian troops to the assistance of Great Britain, and the corresponding association of architects of Berlin, Vienna and Budapest.

German Architects Drop French Architects' Names.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—Because German artillery shelled the Cathedral of Rheims, the council of the Central Association of French Architects has decided to strike the following names from the list of its foreign corresponding members: William Dierfeldt, Berlin; Joseph Rubben, Posen; Otto Wagner, Vienna; and the corresponding association of architects of Berlin, Vienna and Budapest.

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This Evening

Advent's

Handsome New Boys' School Clothes

\$1.50

In spite of the uncommonly elegant materials, workmanship, linings and super excellence of our new Fall Norfolk Suits for boys—and, in spite of the fact that no such qualities are obtainable elsewhere for less than \$7.50—we retail these garments at \$6.50.

Each Suit has an Extra Pair of stylish Knicker Trousers and each also is provided with Extra Buttons in case the lads should happen to lose one or two.

We commend these new Norfolk suits as the highest type of finely tailored boys' apparel. The latest patch-pocket models—scores of new patterns and fabrics—alpaca lined—double stitched and reinforced seams—sewed with pure silk. Ages 6 to 17 years. See how YOUR boy looks in one BEFORE you buy his Fall Suit.

QUALITY CORNER

Werner & Werner
LOCUST at SIXTH



"White Beauty"

Hoosier Cabinet

You Can Have One in Your Kitchen Tomorrow for a Single Dollar

1. One dollar puts the Cabinet you choose in your home.
2. One dollar weekly dues quickly pays for it.
3. The low cash price fixed by the factory prevails strictly.
4. No interest. No extra fees.
5. This sale is under direct supervision of the Hoosier Company.
6. Your money back if you are not delighted with your Hoosier.

On Special "Club" Sale

The only way to be sure of getting one of these wonderful Kitchen Cabinets is to act now. We have only a limited number of Cabinets to be sold on these terms. After this sale

1. The "Hoosier Plan" terms will be withdrawn.
2. Our regular terms will then prevail. It cannot take you longer than ten minutes to decide—and, remember, you are deciding whether or not you will save miles of unnecessary steps you are now taking.

But don't delay—it may mean disappointment.

Hellrung & Grimm
904-6-8 Washington 16th and Cass

ICELAND SUFFERS A BUSINESS CHILL DUE TO THE WAR

Official Tells How Trade Was Temporarily Diverted to United States.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Ole J. Olafson, manager of telegraphs and telephone in Iceland, on his way back from a visit to his brother, a dentist in Chicago, talked here of conditions in his little-known country. On his recent voyage he came as far as St. John's, New Foundland, on the steamer Hermod, which he believes to be the first steamer that ever brought a cargo of goods from Iceland to the United States. Two other Commissioners of the Iceland Government arrived on the steamer.

The steamer carried a cargo of wool and herring, which the Commissioners expect to sell here. They will load the vessel with American products for the return trip. The dangers of North Sea navigation between Iceland and Denmark have opened this new field, at least temporarily, to American trade.

"Iceland has felt the European war very hard," said Olafson. "Indeed, all business has practically stopped. That is why we came over here. The name of our country should have been changed with that of Greenland, for it is Iceland that is really the green land. Why, none of us had ever seen an iceberg until we got near New Foundland, and there we saw a lot of them, some of them towering as much as 450 feet out of the water."

Bigger Than Iceland. "Our country now has about 55,000 population. We do very little in the way of manufacturing. Our telegraph and telephone systems really cover a good deal of ground, for notwithstanding our small population, Iceland is bigger than Ireland."

"We have the same King as Denmark, but otherwise we are independent of Denmark—very much like the relation that existed between Norway and Sweden before the two countries separated. We have our own Governor. As for our climate, it is no severer than that of Newfoundland, and on the south side of the island it may be milder."

"Almost everybody in Iceland speaks English, as it is taught in our schools. Of late we have been getting a good many English tourists and some Americans. We have steamers to Letho once a week in summer, and in winter there are two or three boats a month."

"There are about 1300 telephones in Iceland, which is pretty good for the size of the population. The Government owns and operates both the telephone and telegraph. In Reykjavik, the capital, the charge to the subscriber is 48 kroners—about \$15.52 a year for local service. We use the Norwegian combination of receiver and transmitter. Out in Chicago I have been looking into automatic switchboards, but they would not be needed in Iceland."

Bearded Sunk by Mine. "We had a good fishing season in Iceland. There are coal mines on the island, which are being prospecting with a view to their development. At the east end of the island it is the only spath mine in the world, and it is operated by Frenchmen. I don't know what 'spath' is in English, but it is a valuable stone."

(Dictionaries speak of "Iceland spar," a transparent calcite, used for optical purposes.) "A few German trawlers had headquarters in Iceland, but left there at the outbreak of the war. I understand they were all taken by British cruisers. One of our own trawlers struck a mine at the mouth of the Tyne and went down. While we have three months of daylight we keep up the same hours of working and sleeping throughout the year, though tourists find it hard to sleep at the proper time. We expect to start back for Reykjavik in the Hermod next Saturday."

Bury Bee Candy Bargains Friday. Fine Assorted Chocolates, including Chocolate Marshmallows, 20c lb.

APPRAISAL BEGUN OF STEVENS' REAL ESTATE

Southern Coal Mine of Involved Clayton Dealer Reported to Be Valuable.

The work of appraising 22 pieces of real estate owned by Beverly C. Stevens, involved Clayton real estate dealer, was begun by experts today. James E. Hereford, trustee under Stevens' assignment, returned today from Birmingham, Ala., where he went to investigate the affairs of the bankrupt L. Soto Coal Mining and Development Co., of which Stevens is president. Stock in this company was listed by Stevens as his most valuable asset. Hereford said his investigation showed that the physical property of the De Soto company is of considerable value, but that money is tight in the South and there is no means of telling what the property would bring if sold by order of the Court.

In Sale Friday Bargains. French Fruit Patties, 40c grade, 20c lb. Pecan Nut Brittle, 40c grade, 20c lb.

Hurt Himself Blocking Wheel. Charles Wilkinson, an Alton teamster, tried to block a wheel with his hand as it was going down a steep hill, yesterday. An iron splinter from the rim, three inches long, was driven into his hand.

Rabies Burned. See the human sacrifices in Cabrira at New Grand Central, Today.

Robbed by Armed Man. Frank J. Margrof of 421 Daler street was robbed of \$2 by an armed man at Seventh street and Clark avenue about 9:30 o'clock last night.

The Post Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

For Friday's Quick Selling, 2 Extra Special Values in Mesh Bags

Mesh Bags.	Mesh Bags.
German Silver Mesh Bags, made of unbreakable mesh; have neat narrow frames and ball trimmings; a good serviceable bag; special Friday (Main Floor).....	German Silver Mesh Bags, made of unbreakable and ring mesh; lined with kid, silk, and others; engraved frames; special Friday (Main Floor).....
50c Silk Head Scarfs; Knitted Silk Head Scarfs in white and colors; while a limited amount last (Main Floor).....	50c Crepe Scarfs; fine quality imported crepe head Scarfs; sizes 27x2 yards; in white and colors.....
15c	29c

Friday's Bargains in Wall Paper

Free, one package of Wall Paper Paste with each purchase of Wall Paper amounting to \$1.00 or over. Extra values in Wall Paper for most any room in the house; worth up to 5c; Friday, roll.....

Papers suitable for living room, halls and etc., some gold and two-tones; worth up to 15c; Friday.....

3c

5c

1.00 Women's Sample Kimonos, 59c

Long Kimonos of challis, crepe and flannelette, in pretty floral designs; Empire and belted effects; come in light and dark shades; assorted sizes; special, one day only, for.....

59c

1.50 Long Kimonos; made of genuine

Serpentine and Plisse Crepe; also heavy quality velvet; beautiful light or dark floral colorings; several styles for your selection.....

95c

3.00 Beautiful Sample Kimonos of Serpentine Crepe, Jacquard Crepe and Silk

Merveilles; in Empire, robe and elastic waist styles; trimmed with satin collar and cuffs; also satin shirring; rich dark and light colorings; sizes 36 to 48; others ask.....

\$1.95

4.00 Kimonos of best quality Jap Silk; in Oriental and floral designs; Empire

style; richly trimmed with 2-inch satin rib; beautiful colors; and patterns to select from at.....

\$2.75

(Second Floor—Kimonos Dept.)

Men's 25c Pure Silk Half Hose

In all sizes and all colors; made for wear; made with double soles and high applied heels; limit 4 pair to customer (Main Floor).....

10c

Men's \$2.00 Hats

Men's \$2 Hats in all sizes; the latest styles; made with soft hats; also stiff hats (Main Floor).....

\$1.00

75c Alarm Clocks

While 500 last, Friday, our regular 75c nickel-plated Alarm Clock; loud-ringing alarm (Main Floor).....

48c

29c 6 1/2-Inch Taffeta Ribbons

In all the leading shades; suitable for hats, bows, and gir- dies and millinery; regular 29c value (Main Floor).....

15c

\$2.98 Lace Bed Sets

Battenberg center with bolster to match; large size with 15-inch floun; regular \$2.98 for (Fourth Floor).....

\$1.92

25c Cotton Mop, 10c

Friday we will offer to every customer in the Housefurnishings Department, a good weight cotton mop, one to a customer (5th Floor).....

10c

12 1/2c Printed Scrim, 5c

As a special for Friday we will place on sale a lot of printed Scrim, worth 12 1/2c, while they last, no phone orders; special Friday, yard (Basement).....

5c

Towelings

This Toweling was bought by a towel supply house and got wet in shipping and was refused by them. We bought it at less than manufacturer's cost, Friday, yard.....

3c

\$1.25 Boys' School Shoes

Little Gentle School Shoes in box and satin calf blucher style. Sizes from 9 to 13 1/2 (Basement).....

69c

12 1/2c Cases

Bleached Pillow Cases; size 36x42; with 2-inch hem; laundered ready for use; Friday, special, each (Basement).....

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Bleached Muslin

Fully one yard wide, perfect snow white, soft finish Muslin; the kind for slips, underwear and for use; in china blue, dark blue, gray, and light; just the thing for house-dresses, waists, etc. (Basement).....

24c

7 1/2c Calico

Extra quality Calicoes, in a fine assortment of patterns; in china blue, dark blue, gray, and light; just the thing for house-dresses, waists, etc. (Basement).....

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The Cotton Bargain Sale Will Again Tomorrow Be Retailing St. Louis' Great Attraction!

The Cotton Bargain Sale, which originated in the suggestion of Miss Genevieve Clark, was originally intended to be a one-day sale, but so whole-hearted have the men responded to the occasion that this time we had to be given to supplying the demand for cotton products.

The Big Leader and Fuller D. G. Co. knew that all St. Louis would be depended upon to help the cotton situation in less-than-a-bale opportunities. This sale is the result—and even the most optimistic forecasts have been far exceeded that every section offering cotton in any sort has been taxed to meet the calls for cotton—more cotton.

And We Have More Cotton!
Determined to make the last two days of this week record-breakers, we have replenished the various stocks and will continue selling cotton tomorrow and Saturday.

At Actual Cost, or Very Close to Cost.
Take advantage of this opportunity to supply your present needs, and many future requirements, in cotton NOW!

The price means savings to you.
Your purchases will help market a bale.
The various departments joining in this cotton sale include:

Wash Goods Toweling Bedding
Undermuslins Knit Underwear Hosiery
Lace Curtains Handkerchiefs
Wash Dresses Waists
House Dresses Infant's Wear

Weather:
Official forecast: Fair tonight and tomorrow, not much change in temperature.

Sea Food Luncheon
To be served tomorrow in the Restaurant, between the hours of 11:30 and 2:30 o'clock, at the price of 50c.

Miss Margaret McDonald entertains with songs, in the Restaurant every day from 12 to 2 p. m. (Sixth Floor.)

Cotton Bargain Sale Specials in Wash Goods, Beddings, Towels

\$1 Pillow Cases, 69c Pr.
Made of good Pillow Muslin—white, scalloped, and many have embroidered initials. Regular size.

50c White Crepes, 12½c Yd.
A fine Crepe, with neat fancy woven stripes—yard wide.

Yes! Special—25c Pieces Longcloth
Put in and sold only in 10-yard pieces.
Lot 1—12½c kind, 8c yd
Lot 2—15c quality, 10c yd
Lot 3—17½c kind, 12½c yd
Lot 4—20c quality, 15c yd
Lot 5—25c quality, 19c yd.

\$1.50 Bedspreads, \$1
Just 400 extra quality Marcelline bedspreads, in four new patterns. Special, \$1 each.

\$1 Rice Cloth, 25c Yd.
Comes in white, with neat colored embroidered designs—yard wide.

Main Floor, Near North Elevators—\$2.75 Bed Comforts, \$1.75
Filled with good quality cotton, and covered with fancy printed cloth. Measure 72x84 inches.

Cotton Knit Underwear
A Number of Very Good Specials for Friday's Sale

\$1 Union Suits, 69c
Women's fleeced cotton Union Suits—white, fine ribbed—high neck and long sleeves, or low neck and sleeveless—all ankle length.

50c Union Suits, 40c
Women's cotton Union Suits—jersey ribbed—low neck, elbow sleeves—ankle length—extra sizes.

For Boys—\$4 Fall Suits, \$2.35
For 5 to 18-year-old boys. Box-plaited Norfolk, of good, durable mixtures, chevrons and tweeds, heavy and medium weight. Broken lines of regular \$4 Suits, choice, \$2.35.

14 Piece Cereal Sets, \$2.45
Consisting of six Cereal Jars, each with name of a cereal, six Spice Jars, with names of different spices, one Salt Box and Rolling Pin, all made of imported decorations, \$2.45 set.

1c Combisets, 98c
Of white enamelware, seamless, flat cover and ball—10 qt. size.

\$5 Percolators, \$1.69
Copper Percolators, "Sternau" make—of copper, highly nickel-plated, also copper finish—four cup capacity.

Palm Olive Special
This Palm Olive Soap, regularly 30c. One for Palm Olive Soap, 50c. To get this price, 80c. Buy Friday 39c. (Main Floor.)

Every Dressmaker—Every Woman Who Has Home-Sewing to Do, Should Take Full Advantage of the

Annual Sale in the Lace Store of St. Louis

At prices which would be quite extraordinary at any time—and which are more so because of the troublous conditions abroad. You will find here in this Annual Sale beautiful Laces and Trimmings, as well as Tunics and Robes gathered from the Lace centers of Europe prior to the declaration of war.

There are also many special lots secured by the Lace Chief in the Eastern markets. All in all, this is as important a sale as we have announced in many years.

\$1 to \$1.50 Silk Nets, 29c Yard
From a large mill in Malines, France, we secured all their short lengths and "seconds" of silk Nets, ranging in widths from 18 to 72 inches. Come in black, white and every imaginable shade—the quality is of the finest and the defects (where there are any) are very slight—choice, 29c yard.

\$1 and \$1.50 Laces, Special, 50c Yard
Gorgeous Black Bands, of silk and cotton, beautiful Flat Venise, Colored Embroidered Laces, Bands and Galloons—some Chantilly, others beaded and studded in gold and silver effects, which can be used for trimming the handsomest evening gown—in this sale at 50c yard.

50c Flouncings, 39c Yd.
From St. Gall a large quantity of good quality Swiss, neatly embroidered in floral and scroll designs, and dainty ruffled effects—in the October Sale at 39c yard.

39c and 50c Laces, 25c Yd.
Allover Laces, 18 inches wide—some silk embroidered, others Oriental effects in white, black and colored figured designs—suitable for making dresses, yokes and sleeves—special, 25c yard.

A Sale of Skirts at \$5
Representing Values of \$7.50 to \$10

A manufacturer had a large number of Skirts on hand, comprising lines which retail regularly at \$7.50 and \$10, but by taking the entire lot, we secured them at a price enabling us to offer them to you at \$5.

All the newest models—the yoke, plaited, tunic or plain tailored Skirts are included, and in such wanted materials as men's wear serge, poplin, satin and non-crushable cloth. Choice, \$5 (Third Floor.)

Sale of Women's Imported French Kid Gloves
Including Long Gloves, and mostly in white—just in time for the Veiled Prophet's and Masque balls. These Gloves are of finest quality French kid, from the best makers, and at lower prices than you would expect to be asked to pay for inferior grades.

\$5 White Gloves, \$3.75
24-button-length White French Kid Gloves, in all sizes—special, \$3.75 pair.

\$4.50 White Gloves, \$3.15
20-button-length White French Kid Gloves, in all sizes—special, \$3.15 pair.

\$3 White Gloves, \$2.15 Pr.
12-button White French Kid Gloves, in all sizes, \$2.15 pair.

\$3.25 Gloves, \$2.65
16-button length Imported White German Kid Gloves, Sizes 5½ to 7½, \$2.65 pair (Main Floor.)

EXTRA SPECIAL—\$1.35 Imported Gloves, \$1
English Walking Gloves, mannish style, with large clasp and heavy seams. Come in black, white and tan—all sizes—regular \$1.35 quality, \$1 pair.

In the Floor Coverings—75c Linoleum (4 Yards Wide), 39c Sq. Yd.
Best quality—all perfect and cut from the roll, and as many yards of a pattern as desired. Included are tile, hardwood and block designs, and on account of the extreme width, will cover the average room without a seam—special, 39c square yard.

Brussels Rugs, \$16.50
Wilton Velvet and Seamless Brussels Rugs, in the 3x12 ft. size, and in exceptionally pretty patterns. Selected from our regular stocks, \$16.50 each.

Axminster Rugs, \$19.75
Standard grade Axminster Rugs, in the 9x12-ft. size.

Aberdeen Rugs, \$15
Scottish Art Aberdeen Rugs, in beautiful bedroom and bungalow effects, in French gray, blue, pink, green or brown, 9x12 ft.

Brussels Rugs, \$13.50
Heavy, triple extra Brussels Rugs, 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in.

\$1.50 "Guernsey" Cooking Sets, 95c
Guernsey Earthenware Co., Cambridge, O.
Each set consists of one three-pint covered Casserole—two round Baking Dishes and six individual Custard Cups with brown outside finish and white porcelain interior. Some pieces are shaded a trifle darker than the others, but all guaranteed first quality.

Exceptional Values, Friday, in the Lace Curtain Store
Extra Special—\$1.25 Pair for \$2 Lace Curtains

We have taken for Friday's special selling, a great lot of \$2 Curtains from our regular stock, the sale price of which is to be \$1.25 pair.

Beautiful Lace Curtains at \$3 Pair
In this group you will find a splendid assortment of handmade Arabian, Beige Point Milan, Marie Antoinette, Serim and Marquise Curtains—all well made and specially marked at \$3 pair.

Exquisite Lace Curtains, \$4.85 Pair
Dainty Duchesse Lace Curtains, made of exceptionally fine quality netting, and in a soft ivory tint. Also Beige Point Milan and handmade Arabian Lace Curtains. Would be exceptional value at a third more—special, Friday, \$4.85 pair.

Room-Lot Sale of Wall Paper
Each lot contains enough Paper, Border and Ceiling for room 12x14 ft. and desirable patterns for all rooms.

Lot 1—Regularly \$1.66, 70c
Lot 2—Regularly \$2.68, \$1.49
Lot 3—Regularly \$3.69, \$2.10
Extra—1750 rolls of 5c Papers, some with dark grounds, 1c roll (Fourth Floor.)



A Sale of Evening and Afternoon Dresses, Friday Special, \$9.95

Just seventy-five dainty little Frocks in this specially-purchased, newly-arrived lot which will be shown for the first time tomorrow morning.

We urge an immediate selection, because the styles are so smart and the materials are so desirable, when one considers the very small price of these dresses, that the lot should be entirely sold out by Friday night.

There are Evening Dresses of combination crepe and lace, white-and-yellow, and white-and-black.
There are Afternoon Dresses of satin and crepe de chine, in white, black, brown, navy and maroon. Some of them have kid belts.

There are Silk Faille Street Dresses, in navy, green and blue satin, with three-tier skirts.
There is an excellent assortment of Dresses in the semi-tailored style, and the majority of these come in black.

There are all sizes—and these dresses are extraordinary values indeed at \$9.95 (Third Floor.)

Basement Attractions—Friday

Again Tomorrow! Choose From This Great Lot of \$1
Sweaters, \$1.50, \$2, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4, at \$1.

It is really a sale which justifies the term "sensational."
There are Sweaters of genuine Shaker knit, Cardigan, heavy, fine and fancy stitch Sweaters. In the new ruff neck, Byron, single and double, also V-neck.

Full-fashioned Vests and Hunting Coats, in the much-in-demand plain colors, and some fancy mixtures. No mail, phone or C. O. D. orders will be filled, and we reserve the right to restrict quantities to individual customers. (Basement.)

75c to \$1.25 Sample Undermuslins, 50c
Sample Nightgowns, Combination Petticoats and Chemises, of nainsook, trimmed with lace, embroidery and beading. Slightly soiled. (Basement.)

Corsets, 85c
Discontinued styles and slightly soiled models—all standard makes—guaranteed rustproof. Made of batiste and coutil. All sizes, and some extra values for stout figures, in these regular \$1 to \$2 Corsets, at 85c (Basement.)

50c Silk Gloves, 25c Pr.
1200 pairs of Women's Sample Gloves, of best quality silk, with double finger tips, and come in all colors, black and white—regular 50c and 75c qualities. (Basement.)

25c Nut Creams, 10c Lb
Virginia Nut Creams—soft, creamy squares, with a mixture of nuts. (Basement.)

Continuing the Basement Garment Section's Special Sale of Women's New Fall Suits at \$16.50

Representing a truly extraordinary lot of Suits at the price, as many could well be marked \$18.50, \$19.75 and \$24.75.

Come in Directoire, Semi-Basque, cleverly trimmed and plain tailored styles—of such materials as broadcloths, poplins, gaberdines, government and French serges, chevrons and needle cloth, in all the best colors, including plum, green, brown, navy, also black.

The skirts come in tunic effects and plaited models. All sizes, 14 years to 53-inch bust measurement. Special, \$16.50 (Basement.)

Cotton—\$1 Wash Waists 69c
Come in the new vest effects, and made of volles and d-pique combination, crepes in crossbars—other Waists lace and embroidery trimmed, with long sleeves and front fastening—sizes 34 to 44-inch bust measurement.

10c Dress and Shirting Percales, 5c Yd.
25c Sollettes, 10c Yd.
Remnants of highly mercerized Sollettes, in solid black and colors.
10c Flannels, 6½c Yd.
Remnants of Outing Flannels, in light colored stripes.
12½c Dress Swiss, 7½c
Remnants of White Dress Swisses, pin dotted.
15c Elderdowns, 10c Yd.
Remnants of heavy fleeced Kimono Elderdowns. (Basement.)

3 O'Clock Special
Fancy printed, light and dark, fleeced Dress Flannelettes of regular 10c quality, at 6c Yd. (Basement.)

Sale of a New Lot of 2500 Pairs of Women's \$3 to \$4 Fall Boots, \$1.85 Pair
These Shoes are the products of two well-known manufacturers, but owing to the low price at which we are offering them, we are not permitted to mention their names, and the Shoes have all been re-stamped.
All this season's most wanted styles, in patent leather, with cloth or brocade tops, all kinds of heels and welt and turned soles. Everyone can be fitted, as there is a complete range of sizes, from 2 to 8, AA to E widths—choice, \$1.85 pair (Basement.)

Blanket Remnants.
Heavy Fleeced Cotton Blanket Remnants, for small beds and ironing boards, at 5c, 10c, 15c and up to 25c ea.

STIX BAER & FULLER D.G. CO. GRAND-LEADER
Entire Block—Sixth, Washington, Seventh and Lucas

AMISTICE IN MEXICO: ELECTION FROM OCT. 5 TO 10

Villa's Secretary Wires El Paso That Aguascalientes Is Now a Neutral Zone.

CARRANZA HOLDS ON

Resignation Which Was Expected Today May Wait on Zacatecas Peace Conference.

By Associated Press.

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 1.—Luis Aguirre Benavides, secretary to Gen. Villa, under date of Sept. 30, telegraphed the Associated Press that an armistice had been declared throughout Mexico, with Aguascalientes as a neutral zone. He stated also that elections would be held according to the first agreement from Oct. 5 to 10. These points had been discussed, he said, at a preliminary conference at Zacatecas, after which Gen. Villa's party left Aguascalientes to confer with Gen. Obregon and other Carranza leaders.

Benavides said that the first meeting had aroused great optimism for a happy outcome of the conference.

Carranza May Not Quit Until Successor Is Chosen.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Gen. Carranza's resignation, as first chief of the Constitutionalists, generally expected today as a step in healing the breach with Gen. Villa and his followers, may not take place until after the conference of military chiefs, which is seeking to compose the differences, finishes its work at Zacatecas.

The Zacatecas conference was expected to convene today. Information here is that its sole purpose is to satisfy the demands of Villa. Chief among these is Carranza's resignation, and while that may be pledged, it was said Carranza probably would follow his original plan of not actually giving up his place until the Mexico City convention chooses a provisional President.

Washington Optimistic. Communications from Mexico, slow in transmission and hampered by a rigid censorship, shed no light on whether this convention, also called for today, would begin sessions or whether it would be delayed to await the outcome of the Zacatecas conference.

The view that it would prevail in administration circles and among some officials close to Carranza, but the delay, however, was not regarded as endangering the hope of a settlement of Mexican affairs and the feeling of optimism in official circles continued. The attitude of the administration continued as one of impartial observation.

In official and diplomatic circles it is believed the conference will end the revolt of Gen. Villa by approving the choice of Fernando Iglesias Calderon as Provisional President, and that this action will be followed by Calderon's election by the Mexico City convention.

President Wilson said today that the outlook for a peaceful settlement in Mexico was very good. The President said Secretary Bryan had taken up appeals for the relief of nuns and priests, but that at present there was little this government could do.

Carranza's Statement.

Rafael Zuriaga Carranza last night made public a telegram from Gen. Carranza, in which the latter said: "If the chiefs to whom I will resign accept my resignation, I shall retire to private life with the consciousness of having done my duty as a citizen, as a Governor of the State of Coahuila and as first chief of the Constitutional army in charge of the executive power."

Reports that Calderon had refused to accept the office of Provisional President were denied by officials here. Secretary Bryan said no confirmation of such reports had reached the State Department.

Mine Titles Annulled.

Official advice from Mexico City to the State Department yesterday announced the issuance of a decree annulling all mine titles granted during the Huerta administration. A statement issued by the State Department says that, according to its advice, 60 days from the date of the decree are allowed mining agents to make applications for the renewal of all procedure previously taken, and that it is stipulated that all the payments required by the mining laws of Mexico in connection with the mining titles or mining claims must be made again to the present central administration.

All rights will be lost by persons who have not complied with these rules before the expiration of the stipulated 60 days.

Without definite information as to what interests would be affected by the decree, State Department officials were unwilling to express any opinion as to the effect of it. The possibility that American and other foreign-owned properties might be involved added to the interest in the decree.

Villa and Carranza Committees Gather to Discuss Peace.

ZACATECAS, Mexico, Oct. 1.—Gen. Francisco Villa and staff and the Peace Committee appointed in Mexico City, on reaching here yesterday, completed arrangements for the conference to be held here in an effort to compose differences between Gen. Villa and Gen. Carranza.

Representatives of the two factions met informally on their arrival and apparently the best of feeling prevailed. It was planned to hold the first session of the conference today. A joint statement which was issued expressed the earnest hope that an agreement be reached without further hostilities.

El Paso Hears Villa's Troops Have Attacked Saltillo.

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 1.—In spite of the pending peace conference, Villa agents here yesterday announced that the Northern leader's troops had attacked Saltillo, capital of Coahuila, Car-

sona's native State. They said that the information came directly from their Eastern agents. A strong force of Villa troops several days ago left Coahuila for Saltillo.

Convents in Aguascalientes Changed Into Public Schools.

MONTREY, Mexico, Oct. 1.—A dispatch from San Luis Potosi says: In conformity with the circular recently issued by the Department of Gobernacion to the effect that the reform laws instituted by President

A Demonstration of Gossard Corsets

If you have never worn a Gossard Corset, come to our store this week and let Miss Sauerwein—a representative direct from the factory—explain to you their merits and personally attend to fitting you with the corset adapted to your style of figure. Gossard Corsets are priced at **\$1.50 to \$25.00**. Third Floor.

But Four More Shopping Days Remain in Which to Prepare for the Veiled Prophet's Ball and Anything That You May Need for This Event Can Be Secured at Vandervoort's

Inexpensive Dancing Frocks for the Veiled Prophet's Ball

Anyone who expects to go to the Veiled Prophet's Ball, and who wishes an inexpensive evening gown or dancing frock for wear on that occasion will find, at Vandervoort's, a most varied collection at prices ranging from \$24.50 to \$55.00. Among these you will find copies of some of the popular high-priced French models, as well as novelties from New York.

The Frocks That We Illustrate

The Frocks that we illustrate is a pink crepe meteor, featuring an extremely smart circular tunic over a chiffon petticoat and is trimmed with silver lace and swansdown. It is an exceptional value at **\$42.50**.

Our Dancing Frocks at \$39.50 and \$29.50

One line of Dancing Frocks is shown with crystal over-drape and in long Russian models, while the new Crinolite Frocks is well represented.

Choice of coral, turquoise, French pink, green, yellow or white. Very special values at **\$39.50**.

A number of exceedingly dainty Dancing Frocks of satin, chiffon and tulle are shown in the very popular tiered and tunic styles, with trimmings of tulle, crystal lace and roses. All of the wanted colors as well as black are represented, and they are priced, for Friday, at **\$29.50**. Third Floor.

Note How Little You Need Pay for a Good Fall Coat

As there will be cool evenings and days from now on, the need of a new Fall Coat will be emphasized. That we are splendidly ready to supply all such requirements, especially of those who wish inexpensive garments, will be at once noted upon the inspection of our wonderfully complete stock.

Two Lots of New Coats at but \$17.50

Women's Coats, suitable for general wear, are shown in three-quarter and seven-eighths lengths models on loose and semi-fitting lines. They are either plain tailored or have velvet and braid-trimmings, while the materials used are zibelines, wide cords and rough coatings, as well as pile fabrics. Price **\$17.50**.

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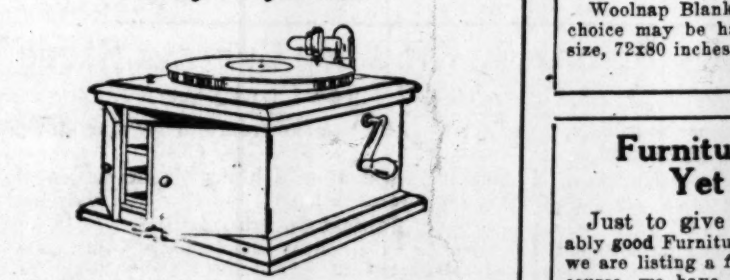
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Other Types of Victrolas

We have all of the other types of Victrolas, ranging in price from \$15.00 to \$200.00, any of which can be purchased upon easy terms.

Victrola Records for October

Our Records for October are now on sale, and you are invited to hear any of them that you may wish in one of our beautiful sound-proof demonstration rooms. Sixth Floor.

FAIR CONTRACTORS OUT \$25,000, FEAR SWINDLE

Seek Two Men Who Said They Were Delegates of Haiti and San Domingo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Panama-Pacific Exposition contractors have started an investigation. It was learned today, as to the whereabouts of two men who got upwards of \$25,000 in checks on representation that they were authorized by the Haitian and Dominican Governments to erect buildings at the Exposition. One of the two men put in a busy day here in August notifying contractors that bids for the buildings were to be let. He directed them to send \$5 each to another man in New York to cover the cost of plans and also a certified check for 10 per cent of their tenders. Checks, so forwarded and all ready cashed and returned, and said to amount to more than \$25,000.

\$18,412,000 in Alaska Minerals.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Alaska's mineral output last year had a value of \$18,412,000. The Geological Survey announced today. The gold production was \$5,580,000. The total value of Alaska gold up to the close of 1912 was \$23,250,000. In addition nearly \$100,000 in silver has been produced.

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New Fall Millinery at Popular Prices

In our popular-price Millinery Section we are making a splendid showing of Trimmed and Semi-dress Hats. They are attractive Black Velvet Hats with trimmings of wings, fancy feather effects and smart ribbon co-ordinates, very inexpensively priced at **\$5.00**.

All of the newest shapes in Sport, English, Trotting and Riding Hats are shown in velvet, Hatters' plush and felt, at prices that range from **\$2.50 to \$10.00**.

Third Floor.

Corsage Bouquets—Hair Ornaments

A most pleasing variety of Corsage Bouquets and Hair Ornaments, suitable for wear at the V. P. Ball, is shown, at very moderate prices.

First Floor, Millinery Section.

Women Should Buy Their Underwear Now

By purchasing your Knit Underwear now you not only will be ready for any "cold snap," but you can choose while stocks are complete. Note these offers:

Women's Jersey-ribbed Cotton Union Suits of Fall weight, made with low neck, elbow sleeves and in ankle length. Regular and extra sizes. Valued at 75c, and specially priced at **50c**.

Women's hand-finished, Jersey-ribbed white cotton Union Suits of medium weight, made in a variety of styles, including the popular Duchesse neck, elbow-sleeve style.

Regular sizes, **\$1.00**.

Extra sizes, **\$1.25**.

Women's fine-ribbed, light-weight Merino Union Suits, made with high neck, long sleeves, Duchesse neck and elbow sleeves, or low neck and no sleeves; all in ankle length. Sizes 4, 5 and 6. Price **\$1.50**. Third Floor, Ninth and Locust.

Floor-Coverings for Fall

As our Floor-Covering Section is very much larger than this time last year we are better prepared than ever to serve you. Our stock includes:

Extra fine English Wilton Rugs are shown in small Persian effects and period designs, in soft-color tones.

6x12 size **\$52.50 to \$85.00**.

36x72-inch size **\$9.50**.

27x54-inch size **\$7.00**.

18x36-inch size **\$2.50**.

A new line of Inlaid Linoleums in tile and wood effects, priced, the square yard, at **90c, \$1.00 to \$1.50**. Fourth Floor.

Low Priced Curtains and Curtain Screens

There are many housekeepers, we feel sure, who will be especially interested in these offerings from the Curtain Section:

We have 50 pairs of Madras Curtains, 2 1/2 yards long, in three patterns, that we will offer at, the pair **\$1.00**.

Colored Sunfast Curtains for windows of doors; all of the popular colors, priced at **\$2.85**.

A large assortment of Curtain Nets in fish-net weaves, suitable for dining and living room curtains. The yard **40c**.

Curtain Screen in white and beige color that is an especially good value at, the yard **20c**. Fourth Floor.

Bedspreads and Blankets

Anyone who requires an inexpensive Spread or Blanket, should see these and the others we offer:

Fringed Crochet Spreads with square or cut corners for double beds. Value \$2.35, special at **\$2.00**.

Scalloped Crochet Spreads with extra long overhang and with cut corners for double beds. Special at **\$2.75**.

Woolnap Blankets are very soft and fluffy and choice may be had of white or gray; extra large size, 72x90 inches. \$3.00 value, special at **\$2.50**. Second Floor.

Furniture That Is Good Yet Low in Price

Just to give you an idea of how reasonably good Furniture can be bought at Vandervoort's we are listing a few of our inexpensive pieces. Of course, we have many others at higher prices, if desired.

Mahogany Music Cabinet that may also be used for holding records. Price **\$5.50**.

Other Music Cabinets ranging in price up to **\$75**.

Mahogany, golden, fumed or Early English oak Telephone Stands, including drop stool. Price **\$5**.

Fumed oak Foot stool upholstered in genuine leather. Price **\$1.95**.

Piano Benches in golden, fumed or Early English oak with seat made to raise. Each **\$6.00**.

Fumed, Early English or golden oak Chests, priced at **\$1.95**.

Ladies' mahogany Writing Desk, priced at **\$8.00**.

Fumed oak Taboret, each **69c**.

Solid mahogany beveled plate Mirror, size, over all, 31x42 inches. Price **\$31.00**.

Sanitary Couch with Pad, priced at **\$5.00**. Fifth Floor.

Turkey. All-Weather. Ideal in Boston. When the weather is cold, it is the only thing that will keep you warm. It is the only thing that will keep you warm. It is the only thing that will keep you warm.

Sale of Fern Dishes and Jardinieres

We have just received a large shipment of 6-inch Fern Dishes, with lining, and 5 and 6-inch Jardinieres in the Anco Ware or burnwood effect. These are 25c and 35c values, specially priced at **15c**.

Mat green Jardinieres, in the 4 1/2-in. size. 15c value for 10c. China Dept., Fourth Floor.

New Suits of Every Description at Moderate Prices

Unless you have inspected our Fall line of inexpensive and moderately-priced Suits, you cannot conceive of the wide variety of models, materials and patterns that are included in this collection. We do not believe that there is a want we cannot fill and fill most satisfactorily with the best for the price no matter what the price.

A Special Lot of Suits at \$15.00

One exceedingly stylish yet inexpensive Suit is made from an excellent quality of wool poplin in black, navy, green or seal brown. The coat has the new, long semi-tailored lines and the edges are bound with braid and finished with a velvet collar and has a wide self-belt. The skirt is made on straight lines. This is an exceptional value at **\$15.00**.

Suits at \$16.50 to \$19.50

We also have a goodly number of new Fall Suits of serges and poplins, the coats of which are made in the three-quarter length or long, straight-front models, or in semi-tailored effects with velvet and self-trimmings.

The skirts are made with hip yoke and on straight lines. Choice of black, navy, seal brown or green. They are unusually good values at **\$15.50 to \$19.50**.

Suits at \$27.50 to \$35.00

Another line of moderately-priced Suits shows coats with short fronts and long backs, and includes Redingote models, trimming of velvet, braid or caracul cloth, or are in semi-tailored effects.

Skirts have long tunic or straight lines with hip yokes, materials are gabardine, broad-cloths, serges, poplin, etc. The Suit illustrated **\$27.50**; others up to **\$35.00**.

New Suits for Fall in Extra Sizes

Women who require Suits in extra sizes will find us well prepared to meet just such demands.

We have new Fall Suits of broadcloth, serge and poplin, with coats in both the hip-length and long styles, and made on semi-tailored lines, as well as those for dress occasions.

The skirts have long tunics or hip yokes. These Suits have velvet, braid, caracul cloth or self-trimming and are shown in navy, brown, taupe, green and black; size 44 to 50. Prices **\$16.50 to \$40.00**. Third Floor.

Furnishings Used in Every Home—Specially Priced

If you have Housefurnishing needs of any sort, here is a good opportunity to supply some of them at a saving in price that is decidedly worth while. Of course this department offers a choice from hundreds of other articles in addition to these:

O-Cedar Oil Mops in the new triangle shape. The O-Cedar is the original oil mop and is most satisfactory. Special for Friday:

15c size **70c**.

75c size **40c**.

Dust Brushes of good quality, special at **25c**.

Dustless Dust Cloths, 25c size, for **15c**.

Dust Fans of japanned tin; 10c value, for **5c**.

Feather Dusters valued at 35c, special at **15c**.

The celebrated "Silvershine" for polishing silverware, etc.; 25c size for **15c**.

Scrub Buckets of first quality galvanized iron; 12-quart size, valued at 20c, special at **12c**.

Butcher's or Sherwin-Williams Floor Wax in 1-lb. cans. Regularly 50c, special at **35c**.

Waxing Brushes of the 15-lb. size, valued at \$2.00 and special at **\$1.39**.

Cotton Mops of the 16-ounce size and well made in every way; 40c value for **20c**.

Chamois Skins of good quality for household use; 75c value for **45c**.

"LightHouse" Cleaner, regularly 5c, special at **7 for 25c**.

"White Flyer" Laundry Soap, special at **7 for 25c**.

"Scourall," special, priced at **3 for 10c**.

Vacuum Carpet Cleaner with strong suction that will remove dirt from the nap of the carpet as well as from the surface. Price **\$2.95**.

With brush attachment **\$3.95**.

"Nu-way" Oil Floor Mops are just the thing for dusting bamboos and around rugs. The **\$1.50** size special at **80c**.

"Buckeye" Soap Chips contain the proper amount of borax and will be found most convenient for washing. 16c package, special at **8 for 25c**.

"Noxall" Furniture Polish will not gum or stick. 2 1/2 size special at **15c**.

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ADMISSION IN MEXICO: ELECTION FROM OCT. 5 TO 10

Villa's Secretary Wires El Paso That Aguascalientes Is Now a Neutral Zone.

CARRANZA HOLDS ON

Resignation Which Was Expected Today May Wait on Zacatecas Peace Conference.

By Associated Press.

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 1.—Luis Aguirre Benavides, secretary to Gen. Villa, under date of Sept. 30, telegraphed the Associated Press that an armistice had been declared throughout Mexico, with Aguascalientes as a neutral zone. He stated also that elections would be held according to the first agreement from Oct. 5 to 10. These points had been agreed on, he said, at a preliminary conference at Zacatecas, after which Gen. Villa's party left Aguascalientes to confer with Gen. Obregon and other Carranza leaders.

Benavides said that the first meeting had aroused great optimism for a happy outcome of the conference.

Carranza May Not Quit Until Successor Is Chosen.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Gen. Carranza's resignation, as first chief of the Constitutionalists, generally expected today as a step in healing the breach with Gen. Villa and his followers, may not take place until after the conference of military chiefs, which is seeking to compose the differences, finishes its work at Zacatecas.

The Zacatecas conference was expected to convene today. Information here is that its sole purpose is to satisfy the demands of Villa. Chief among those is Carranza's resignation, and, while that may be pleaded, it was said Carranza probably would follow his original plan of not actually giving up his place until the Mexico City convention chooses a provisional President.

Washington Optimistic.

Communications from Mexico, slow in transmission and hampered by a rigid censorship, shed no light on whether this convention, also called for today, would begin sessions or whether it would be delayed to await the outcome of the Zacatecas conference.

The view that it would prevail in administration circles and among some officials close to Carranza, but the delay, however, was not regarded as endangering the hope of a settlement of Mexican affairs and the feeling of optimism in official circles. The attitude of the administration continued as one of impartial observation.

In official and diplomatic circles it is believed the conference will end the revolt of Gen. Villa by approving the choice of Venustiano Carranza as Provisional President, and that the action will be followed by Carranza's election by the Mexico City convention.

President Wilson said today that the outlook for a peaceful settlement in Mexico was very good. The President said Secretary Bryan had taken up appeals for the relief of nuns and priests, but that at present there was little this Government could do.

Carranza's Statement.

Rafael Zurutuza Campuzano, first night made public a telegram from Gen. Carranza, in which the latter said: "If the chiefs to whom I will resign accept my resignation, I shall retire to private life with the consciousness of having done my duty as a citizen, as a Governor of the State of Coahuila and as first chief of the Constitutional army in charge of the executive power."

Reports that Carranza had refused to accept the office of Provisional President were denied by officials here. Secretary Bryan said no confirmation of such reports had reached the State Department.

Nine Titles Annulled.

Official advice from Mexico City to the State Department yesterday announced the annulment of a decree annulling all nine titles granted during the Huerta administration. A statement issued by the State Department says that, according to its advice, 60 days from the date of the decree are allowed mining agents to make applications for the renewal of all procedure previously taken, and that it is stipulated that all the payments required by the mining laws of Mexico in connection with the mining titles or mining claims must be made again to the present central administration.

All rights will be lost by persons who have not complied with these rules before the expiration of the stipulated 60 days. Without definite information as to what interests would be affected by the decree, State Department officials were unwilling to express any opinion as to the effect of it. The possibility that American and other foreign-owned properties might be involved added to the interest in the decree.

Villa and Carranza Committees Gather to Discuss Peace.

ZACATECAS, Mexico, Oct. 1.—Gen. Francisco Villa and staff and the Peace Committee appointed in Mexico City, on reaching here yesterday, completed arrangements for the conference to be held here in an effort to compose differences between Gen. Villa and Gen. Carranza.

Representatives of the two factions met informally on their arrival and apparently the best of feeling prevailed. It was planned to hold the first session of the conference today. A joint statement which was issued expressed the earnest hope that an agreement be reached without further hostilities.

El Paso Hears Villa's Troops Have Attacked El Paso.

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 1.—In spite of the pending peace conference, Villa agents here yesterday announced that the Northern leader's troops had attacked Saltillo, capital of Coahuila, Car-

sona's native State. They said that the information came directly from the Eastern agents. A strong force of Villa troops several days ago left Coahuila for Saltillo.

Convents in Aguascalientes Changed Into Public Schools.

MONTEREY, Mexico, Oct. 1.—A dispatch from San Luis Potosi says: In conformity with the circular recently issued by the Department of Gobernacion to the effect that the re-

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The Frocks That We Illustrate

The Frocks that we illustrate is a pink crepe meter, featuring an extremely smart circular tunic over a chiffon petticoat and is trimmed with silver lace and swansdown. It is an exceptional value at **\$42.50**

Our Dancing Frocks at \$39.50 and \$29.50

One line of Dancing Frocks is shown with crystal over-drape and in long Russian models, while the new Crinoline Frocks is well represented.

Choice of coral, turquoise, French pink, green, yellow or white. Very special values at **\$39.50**

A number of exceedingly dainty Dancing Frocks of satin, chiffon and taffeta are shown in the very popular tiered and tunic styles, with trimmings of tulle, crystal lace and roses. All of the wanted colors as well as black are represented, and they are priced, for Friday, at **\$29.50**

Third Floor.

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Barnsley all-linen Roller Toweling with red border; 17 inches wide. Special value at, the yard **15c**

Second Floor.

Buy This Victrola on Easy Payments



We offer this fine new type of \$25.00 Victrola—the one illustrated—and \$10.00 worth of records, upon the following special terms:

\$5.00 Down at the time the machine is sent home and \$3.00 monthly until complete payment has been made.

Other Types of Victrolas

We have all of the other types of Victrolas, ranging in price from \$15.00 to \$200.00, any of which can be purchased upon easy terms.

Victor Records for October

Our Records for October are now on sale, and you are invited to hear any of them that you may wish in one of our beautiful sound-proof demonstration rooms.

Sixth Floor.

FAIR CONTRACTORS OUT \$25,000, FEAR SWINDLE

Seek Two Men Who Said They Were Delegates of Haiti and San Domingo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Panama-Pacific Exposition contractors have started an investigation, it was learned today, as to the whereabouts of two men who got upwards of \$25,000 in checks on representation that they were authorized by the Haitian and Dominican Governments to erect buildings at the Exposition. One of the two men put in a busy day here in August notifying contractors that bids for the buildings were to be let. He directed them to send \$10 each to another man in New York to cover the cost of plans and also a certified check for 10 per cent of the tenders. Checks, so forwarded and al-

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ready cashed and returned, was said to amount to more than \$25,000.

\$18,415,000 in Alaska Minerals.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Alaska's mineral output last year had a value of \$18,415,000, the Geological Survey announced today. The gold production was \$15,500,000. The total value of Alaska gold up to the close of 1913 was \$23,324,000. In addition nearly \$11,000,000 in silver has been produced.

One White Toothache Stick.

One White Toothache Stick. All druggists, 25c.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH

The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

Sale of Fern Dishes and Jardinieres

We have just received a large shipment of 6-inch Fern Dishes, with lining, and 5 and 6-inch Jardinieres in the Anco Ware or burnished effect. These are 25c and 35c values, specially priced at **15c**

Mat green Jardinieres, in the 4 1/2-in. size. 15c value for 10c

China Dept., Fourth Floor.

New Fall Millinery at Popular Prices

In our popular-price Millinery Section we are making a splendid showing of Trimmed and Semi-dress Hats. They are attractive Black Velvet Hats with trimmings of wings, fancy feather effects and smart ribbon co-ordinates, very inexpensively priced at **\$5.00**

All of the newest shapes in Sport, English, Trotting and Riding Hats are shown in velvet, Hatters' plush and felt, at prices that range from **\$2.50 to \$10.00**

Third Floor.

Corsage Bouquets—Hair Ornaments

A most pleasing variety of Corsage Bouquets and Hair Ornaments, suitable for wear at the V. P. Ball, is shown at very moderate prices.

First Floor, Millinery Section.

Women Should Buy Their Underwear Now

By purchasing your Knit Underwear now you not only will be ready for any "cold snap," but you can choose while stocks are complete. Note these offers:

Women's Jersey-ribbed Cotton Union Suits of Fall weight, made with low neck, elbow sleeves and in ankle length. Regular and extra sizes. Valued at 75c, and specially priced at **50c**

Women's hand-finished, Jersey-ribbed white cotton Union Suits of medium weight, made in a variety of styles, including the popular Duchesse neck, elbow-sleeve style.

Regular sizes. **\$1.00**

Extra sizes. **\$1.25**

Women's fine-ribbed, light-weight Merino Union Suits, made with high neck, long sleeves, Duchesse neck and elbow sleeves, or low neck and no sleeves; all in ankle length. Sizes 4, 5 and 6. Price **\$1.50**

Third Floor, Ninth and Locust.

Floor-Coverings for Fall

As our Floor-Covering Section is very much larger than this time last year we are better prepared than ever to serve you. Our stock includes:

Extra fine English Wilton Rugs are shown in small Persian effects and period designs, in soft-color tones.

6x12 size **\$52.50 to \$85.00**

36x72-inch size **\$9.00**

27x54-inch size **\$7.00**

18x36-inch size **\$2.50**

A new line of Inlaid Linoleums in tile and wood effects, priced, the square yard, at **90c, \$1.00 to \$1.50**

Fourth Floor.

Low Priced Curtains and Curtain Strips

There are many housekeepers, we feel sure, who will be especially interested in these offerings from the Curtain Section:

We have 50 pairs of Madras Curtains, 2 1/2 yards long, in three patterns, that we will offer at, the pair **\$1.00**

Colored Sunfast Curtains for windows or doors; all of the popular colors, priced at **\$2.95**

A large assortment of Curtain Ties in fish-net weaves, suitable for dining and living room curtains. The yard **40c**

Curtain Strips in white and beige color that is an especially good value at, the yard **20c**

Fourth Floor.

Bedspreads and Blankets

Anyone who requires an inexpensive Spread or Blanket, should see these and the others we offer:

Fringed Crochet Spreads with square or cut corners for double beds. Value \$2.25, special at **\$2.00**

Scalloped Crochet Spreads with extra long overhang and with cut corners for double beds. Special at **\$2.75**

Woolnap Blankets are very soft and fluffy and choice may be had of white or gray; extra large size, 72x80 inches. \$3.00 value, special at **\$2.50**

Second Floor.

Furniture That Is Good Yet Low in Price

Just to give you an idea of how reasonably good Furniture can be bought at Vandervoort's we are listing a few of our inexpensive pieces. Of course, we have many others at higher prices, if desired.

Mahogany Music Cabinet that may also be used for holding records. Price **\$5.50**

Other Music Cabinets ranging in price up to **\$75**

Mahogany, golden, fumed or Early English oak Telephone Stands, including drop stool. Price **\$5**

Fumed oak Foot stool upholstered in genuine leather. Price **\$1.95**

Piano Benches in golden, fumed or Early English oak with seat made to raise. Each **\$6.00**

Fumed, Early English or golden oak Chests, priced at **\$1.95**

Ladies' mahogany Writing Desk, priced at **\$8.00**

Fumed oak Tabourets, each **69c**

Solid mahogany beveled plate Mirror; size, over all, 31x42 inches. Price **\$31.00**

Sanitary Couch with Pad, priced at **\$8.00**

Fifth Floor.

New Suits of Every Description at Moderate Prices

Unless you have inspected our Fall line of inexpensive and moderately-priced Suits, you cannot conceive of the wide variety of models, materials and patterns that are included in this collection. We do not believe that there is a want we cannot fill and fill most satisfactorily with the best for the price no matter what the price.

A Special Lot of Suits at \$15.00

One exceedingly stylish yet inexpensive Suit is made from an excellent quality of wool poplin in black, navy, green or seal brown. The coat has the new, long semi-tailored lines and the edges are bound with braid and finished with a velvet collar and has a wide self-belt. The skirt is made on straight lines. This is an exceptional value at **\$15.00**

Suits at \$16.50 to \$19.50

We also have a goodly number of new Fall Suits of serges and poplins, the coats of which are made in the three-quarter length or long, straight-front models, or in semi-tailored effects with velvet and self-trimmings.

The skirts are made with hip yoke and on straight lines. Choice of black, navy, seal brown or green. They are unusually good values at **\$15.50 to \$19.50**

Suits at \$27.50 to \$35.00

Another line of imberberately priced Suits shows coats with short fronts and long backs, including Redingote models, trimming of velvet, braid or caracul cloth, or are in semi-tailored effects.

Skirts have long yokes or straight lines, with hip yokes, materials are gabardine, broadcloths, serges, poplin, etc.

The Suit illustrated is **\$27.50**; others up to **\$35.00**

Third Floor.

New Suits for Fall in Extra Sizes

Women who require Suits in extra sizes will find us well prepared to meet just such demands.

We have new Fall Suits of broadcloth, serge and poplin, with coats in both the hip-length and long styles, and made on semi-tailored lines, as well as those for dress occasions.

The skirts have long tunics or hip yokes. These Suits have velvet, braid, caracul cloth or self-trimming and are shown in navy, brown, taupe, green and black; size 44 to 50. Prices **\$16.50 to \$40.00**

Third Floor.

Furnishings Used in Every Home—Specially Priced

If you have Housefurnishing needs of any sort, here is a good opportunity to supply some of them at a saving in price that is decidedly worth while. Of course this department offers a choice from hundreds of other articles in addition to these:

O-Cedar Oil Mops in the new triangle shape. The O-Cedar is the original oil mop and is most satisfactory. Special for Friday:

12 1/2 size **70c**

7 1/2 size **40c**

Dust Brushes of good quality, special at **25c**

Dustless Dust Cloths, 25c size, for **15c**

Dust Pans of japanned tin; 10c value, for **5c**

Feather Dusters valued at 35c, special at **15c**

The celebrated "Silvershine" for polishing silverware, etc.; 25c size for **15c**

Scrub Buckets of first quality galvanized iron; 12-quart size, valued at 20c, special at **12c**

Butcher's or Sherwin-Williams Floor Wax in 1-lb. cans. Regularly 50c, special at **35c**

Waxing Brushes of the 15-lb. size, valued at \$2.00 and special at **\$1.39**

Cotton Mops of the 18-ounce size and well made in every way; 40c value for **20c**

Chamois Skins of good quality for household use; 75c value for **45c**

"LightHouse" Cleaner, regularly 5c, special at **7 for 25c**

"White Flyer" Laundry Soap, special at **7 for 25c**

"Scourall," specially priced at **3 for 10c**

Vacuum Carpet Cleaner with strong suction that will remove dirt from the nap of the carpet as well as from its surface. Price **\$2.95**

With brush attachment **\$3.95**

"No-Way" Oil Floor Mops are just the thing for dusting baseboards and around rugs. The \$1.50 size special at **80c**

"Buckeye" Soap Chips contain the proper amount of borax and will be found most convenient for washing. 1-lb. package, special at **8 for 25c**

"Norall" Furniture Polish will not gum or stick. 2 1/2 size special at **15c**

Basement.

Let Us Have Your Kid Gloves at Once for Cleaning, So That You May Have Them in Time for the V. P. Ball

The Cotton Bargain Sale Will Again Tomorrow Be Retailing St. Louis' Great Attraction!

This Cotton Bargain Sale, which originated in the suggestion of Miss Genevieve Clark, was originally intended to be a one-day sale, but so whole-hearted have St. Louis men responded to the occasion that the whole week has had to be given to supplying the demand for cotton products.

The Stix, Baer & Fuller D. G. Co. knew that all St. Louisans could be depended upon to help the cotton situation if given less-than-a-bale opportunities. This sale is the result—and even the most optimistic forecasts have been so far exceeded that every section offering cotton wears of any sort has been taxed to meet the call for cotton—more cotton.

And We HAVE More Cotton!
Determined to make the last two days of this week record-breakers, we have replenished the various stocks and will continue selling cotton tomorrow and Saturday.

At Actual Cost, or Very Close to Cost.
Take advantage of this opportunity to supply your present needs, and many future requirements, in cotton NOW!

The means savings to you.
Your purchases will help market a bale.
The various departments joining in this cotton sale include:

Weather:

Official forecast: Fair tonight and tomorrow, not much change in temperature.

Sea Food Luncheon

To be served tomorrow in the Restaurant, between the hours of 11:30 and 2:30 o'clock, at the price of 50c.
Miss Margaret McDonald entertains with songs, in the Restaurant every day from 12 to 2 p. m.

Cotton Bargain Sale Specials in Wash Goods, Beddings, Towels

\$1 Pillow Cases, 69c Pr.
Made of good Pillow Muslin—neatly scalloped, and many have embroidered initials. Regular size.

50c White Crepes, 12 1/2 yd.
A fine Crepe, with neat fancy woven stripes—yard wide.

Very special—25c pieces Longcloth
Put up and sold only in 10-yard pieces.
Lot 1—12 1/2 yd kind, 8c yd
Lot 2—15 yd quality, 10c yd
Lot 3—17 1/2 yd kind, 12 1/2c yd
Lot 4—20 yd quality, 15c yd
Lot 5—25 yd quality, 18c yd

\$1.50 Bedspreads, \$1
Just 400 extra quality Marcelline Bedspreads, in four new patterns. Special, \$1 each

\$1 Rice Cloth, 25c Yd.
Comes in white, with neat colored embroidered designs—yard wide.

Main Floor, Near North Elevators—
\$1.75 40c Comforts, \$1.75
Filled with good quality cotton, and covered with fancy printed chits. Measure 72x84 inches.

Cotton Knit Underwear

A Number of Very Good Specials for Friday's Sale
\$1 Union Suits, 69c
Women's seamed cotton Union Suits—white, fine ribbed—black and long sleeves, or low neck and sleeveless—all ankle length.

60c Union Suits, 40c
Women's cotton Union Suits—jersey ribbed—low neck, elbow sleeves at ankle length—extra sizes.

For Boys—\$4 Fall Suits, \$2.35
For 5 to 18-year-old boys. Box-plaited Norfolk, of good, durable mixtures, chevrons and tweeds, heavy and medium weight. Broken lines of regular \$4 Suits, choice, \$2.35

Boys' pure wool, fast-dye Blue Suits, 8 to 18-year sizes—special, \$3.75
Boys' odd Knickerbockers, 5 to 17-year sizes—regularly \$1—special, 65c

14-Piece Cereal Sets, \$2.45
Consisting of six Cereal Jars, each with name of a cereal, six Spice Jars, with names of different spices, one Salt Box and Rolling Pin, all made of imported glass, clover leaf and other decorations, \$2.45 set

Combinets, 89c
Of fine enamelware, seamless cover and ball—10-qt. size.

\$2.50 Percolators, \$1.69
Coffee Percolators, "Sternau" make—of copper, highly nickel-plated, also copper finish—four-cup capacity.

Palm Olive Special
Three Stars Palm Olive Soap, regularly 50c
One Star Palm Olive Cream, 50c
Total retail price, 80c
Special Friday, 39c

Garbage Cans, 69c
Made of heavy galvanized iron, corrugated, with tight-fitting rim cover and with ball.

Stix, Baer & Fuller D. G. Co. GRAND-LEADER
Entire Block—Sixth, Washington, Seventh and Lucas

Every Dressmaker—Every Woman Who Has Home-Sewing to Do, Should Take Full Advantage of the

Annual Sale in the Lace Store of St. Louis

At prices which would be quite extraordinary at any time—and which are more so because of the troublous conditions abroad. You will find here in this Annual Sale beautiful Laces and Trimmings, as well as Tunics and Robes gathered from the Lace centers of Europe prior to the declaration of war.

There are also many special lots secured by the Lace Chief in the Eastern markets. All in all, this is as important a sale as we have announced in many years.

\$1 to \$1.50 Silk Nets, 29c Yard
From a large mill in Malines, France, we secured all their short lengths and "seconds" of silk Nets, ranging in widths from 18 to 72 inches. Come in black, white and every imaginable shade—the quality is of the finest and the defects (where there are any) are very slight—choice, 29c yard

\$1 and \$1.50 Laces, Special, 50c Yard
Gorgeous Black Bands, of silk and cotton, beautiful Flat Venice, Colored Embroidered Laces, Bands and Galloons—some Chantilly, others beaded and studded in gold and silver effects, which can be used for trimming the handsomest evening gown—in this sale at 50c yard

59c Flouncings, 39c Yd.
From St. Gall a large quantity of 27-inch Baby Flouncings, of good quality Swiss, neatly embroidered in floral and scroll designs, and dainty ruffled effects—in the October Sale at 39c yard

39c and 50c Laces, 25c Yd.
Allover Laces, 18 inches wide—some silk embroidered, others Oriental effects, in white, black and colored figured designs—suitable for making dresses, yokes and sleeves—special, 25c yard

In the Robe Room—
Continuing the Sale of Tunics at \$9.75 and \$14.75
Included are Tunics, of chiffon and net foundations, beaded and studded—others wrought with gold and silver. Many of them beautifully spangled. All secured from a French model maker, and would ordinarily sell at \$25 and \$50, in the October Lace Sale, choose at \$9.75 and \$14.75 (Main Floor.)

Remnants of Fine Fall Suitings

Which, off the piece, would sell for 75c to \$3.50 yard. Choice at 1/4, 1/2 and Even 1/2 Less Than These Prices

Included in tomorrow's sale lot are:
Broadcloths, Serges, Cheviots, Poplins, Eponges, Zibelines, Silk-and-wool-Fabrics, Roman Stripes, Plaids, Crepes, Wool Taffetas, Polo Cloths, Coatings, Cream Fabrics, Black Fabrics.
Come in 2 to 5 1/2-yard pieces. We advise an early selection. Square 2—Main Floor, and Second Floor.

A Sale of Skirts at \$5

Representing Values of \$7.50 to \$10

A manufacturer had a large number of Skirts on hand, comprising lines which retail regularly at \$7.50 and \$10, but by taking the entire lot, we secured them at a price enabling us to offer them to you at \$5

All the newest models—the yoke, plaited, tunic or plain tailored Skirts are included, and in such wanted materials as men's wear serge, poplin, satin and non-crushable cloth. Choice, \$5 (Third Floor.)

Sale of Women's Imported French Kid Gloves

Including Long Gloves, and mostly in white—just in time for the Veiled Prophet's and Masque balls. These Gloves are of finest quality French kid, from the best makers, and at lower prices than you would expect to be asked to pay for inferior grades.

\$5 White Gloves, \$3.75
24-button-length White French Kid Gloves, in all sizes—special, \$3.75 pair

\$4.50 White Gloves, \$3.15
20-button-length White French Kid Gloves, in all sizes—special, \$3.15 pair

\$3 White Gloves, \$2.15 Pr.
12-button White French Kid Gloves, in all sizes, \$2.15 pair

\$3.25 Gloves, \$2.65
16-button length imported White German Kid Gloves. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. \$2.65 pair (Main Floor.)

EXTRA SPECIAL—\$1.35 Imported Gloves, \$1

English Walking Gloves, mannish style, with large clasp and heavy seams. Come in black, white and tan—all sizes—regular \$1.35 quality, \$1 pair

In the Floor Coverings—

75c Linoleums (4 Yards Wide), 39c Sq. Yd.
Best quality—all perfect and cut from the roll, and as many yards of a pattern as desired. Included are tile, hardwood and block designs, and on account of the extreme width, will cover the average room without a seam—special, 39c square yard

Note—Bring measurements of room.

Brussels Rugs, \$16.50
Wilton Velvet and Seamless Brussels Rugs, in the 9x12-ft. size, and in exceptionally pretty patterns. Selected from our regular stocks, \$16.50 each

Axminster Rugs, \$19.75
Standard grade Axminster Rugs, in the 9x12-ft. size.

Aberdeen Rugs, \$15
Scottish Art Aberdeen Rugs, in beautiful bedroom and bungalow effects, in French gray, blue, pink, green or brown, 9x12 ft.

Brussels Rugs, \$13.50
Heavy, triple extra Brussels Rugs, 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in.

\$1.50 "Guernsey" Cooking Sets, 95c
Guernsey Earthenware Co., Cambridge, O.
Each set consists of one three-pint covered Casserole—two round Baking Dishes and six individual Custard Cups with brown outside finish and white porcelain interior. Some pieces are shaded a trifle darker than the others, but all guaranteed first quality.

A pamphlet, "How to Cook and Serve," by Janet McKenzie Hill, editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine, accompanies each set.

\$1.95 Salad Sets, \$1.19
Consisting of large Salad Bowl and six smaller Bowls to match, all of Nippon China.

39c Sugar and Creamer, 25c
Imported China Sugar and Cream Sets, prettily decorated—medium size. (Fifth Floor.)

Exceptional Values, Friday, in the Lace Curtain Store

Extra Special—\$1.25 Pair for \$2 Lace Curtains
We have taken for Friday's special selling, a great lot of \$2 Curtains from our regular stock, the sale price of which is to be \$1.25 pair.

Cable Net and Nottingham Lace Curtains, in beautiful designs which are exact copies of Brussels, Battenberg, Cluny and Arabian laces. Full width and 3 yards in length. Choice, \$1.25 pair

Beautiful Lace Curtains at \$3 Pair
In this group you will find a splendid assortment of handmade Arabian, Beige Point Milan, Marie Antoinette, Scrim and Marquisette Curtains—all well made and specially marked at \$3 pair

Exquisite Lace Curtains, \$4.85 Pair
Dainty Duchesse Lace Curtains, made of exceptionally fine quality netting, and in a soft ivory tint. Also Beige Point Milan and handmade Arabian Lace Curtains. Would be exceptional value at a third more—special, Friday, \$4.85 pair

Curtain Nets, 25c and 45c Yard
Hundreds of pieces of Curtain Nets, in white, cream and Arabian color. Designs suitable for dining room and bedroom windows, also for vestibule doors and transoms. Attractively priced for Friday, special at 25c and 45c yard (Fourth Floor.)



A Sale of Evening and Afternoon Dresses, Friday Special, \$9.95

Just seventy-five dainty little Frocks in this specially-purchased, newly-arrived lot which will be shown for the first time tomorrow morning.

We urge an immediate selection, because the styles are so smart and the materials are so desirable, when one considers the very small price of these dresses, that the lot should be entirely sold out by Friday night.

There are Evening Dresses of combination crepe and lace, white-and-yellow, and white-and-black.

There are Afternoon Dresses of satin and crepe de chine, in white, black, brown, navy and maroon. Some of them have kid belts.

There are Silk Faille Street Dresses, in navy, green and blue satin, with three-tier skirts.

There is an excellent assortment of Dresses in the semi-tailored style, and the majority of these come in black.

There are all sizes—and these dresses are extraordinary values indeed at \$9.95 (Third Floor.)

Basement Attractions—Friday

Again Tomorrow! Choose From This Great Lot of Sweaters, \$1.50, \$2, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4, at \$1
It is really a sale which justifies the term "sensational."

There are Sweaters of genuine Shaker knit, Cardigan, heavy, fine and fancy stitch Sweaters. In the new ruff neck, Byron, single and double, also V-neck.

Full-fashioned Vests and Hunting Coats, in the much-in-demand plain colors, and some fancy mixtures. No mail, phone or C. O. D. orders will be filled, and we reserve the right to restrict quantities to individual customers. (Basement.)

75c to \$1.25 Sample Undermuslins, 50c
Sample Nightgowns, Combination Petticoats and Chemises, of nainsook, trimmed with lace, embroidery and beading. Slightly soiled. (Basement.)

10c Dress and Shirting Percales, 5c Yd.
25c Sollettes, 10c Yd. Remnants of highly mercerized Sollettes, in solid black and colors.

10c Flannels, 6 1/2c Yd.
Remnants of Outing Flannels, in light colored stripes.

12 1/2c Dress Swiss, 7 1/2c
Remnants of White Dress Swisses, pin dotted.

15c Elderdowns, 10c Yd.
Remnants of heavy fleeced Kimono Elderdowns.

3 O'Clock Special
Fancy printed, light and dark, fleeced Dress Flannelettes of regular 10c quality, at 6c Yd. (Basement.)

Sale of a New Lot of 2500 Pairs of Women's \$3 to \$4 Fall Boots, \$1.85 Pair
These Shoes are the products of two well-known manufacturers, but owing to the low price at which we are offering them, we are not permitted to mention their names, and the Shoes have all been re-stamped.

All this season's most wanted styles, in patent leather, with cloth or brocade tops, all kinds of heels and welt and turned soles. Everyone can be fitted, as there is a complete range of sizes, from 2 to 8, AA to E widths—choice, \$1.85 pair (Basement.)

25c Nut Creams, 10c Lb
Virginia Nut Creams—soft, creamy squares, with a mixture of nuts. (Basement.)

Continuing the Basement Garment Section's Special Sale of Women's New Fall Suits at \$16.50

Representing a truly extraordinary lot of Suits at the price, as many could well be marked \$18.50, \$19.75 and \$24.75.

Come in Directoire, Semi-Basque, cleverly trimmed and plain tailored styles—of such materials as broadcloths, poplins, gaberdines, government and French serges, chevrons and needle cloth, in all the best colors, including plum, green, brown, navy, also black.

The skirts come in tunic effects and plaited-models. All sizes, 14 years to 53-inch bust measurement. Special, \$16.50 (Basement.)

Cotton—\$1 Wash Waists 69c

Come in the new vest effects, and made of voile and a-plique combination, crepes in crossbars—other Waists lace and embroidery trimmed, with long sleeves and front fastening—sizes 34 to 44-inch bust measurement.

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MAN WHO KILLED RIVAL AFTER WIFE'S CONFESSION, FREED

Jury at Laurel, Miss., Finds
Kearney Leggett, Who Shot
Lawyer, Not Guilty.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 1.—Cheering for the defendant followed a verdict of not guilty by the jury in the case of Kearney Leggett, who was tried at Laurel for the murder of Devan Scarborough, prominent attorney of that place.

The shooting of the lawyer took place on Main street, in Laurel, after Leggett had intercepted letters from the lawyer to his wife.

Mrs. Leggett did not spare herself in telling the jury of her conduct with the lawyer, since she was 17 years old. A letter she had written to her husband telling of these relations was read to the jury. The receipt of this letter by the husband was followed by the killing. Leggett pleaded the "unwritten law."

Wife's Letter to Husband.

The letter read in part:

"Jackson, Miss., Aug. 18, 1914.
"My Dear Husband: I'm ready for a full confession. Devan has notified me of your possession of my letter that I wrote him the Sunday I left home.

"Dear, if only I could recall my conduct with him, I would give my life. Dear one, please listen and forgive and believe me, for I was not to blame.

"This thing started when I was only a child 17 years of age and easily influenced. He pretended, and I believed, that he really loved me, and I know that I love him, but if you will only forgive me I do promise the rest of my life to be true.

"Kearney, I have tried so hard to be true to you, but it seems that fate has worked against me.

"Love is a strange thing."

"Yes, it is true that Devan started to coming into our home as a cousin and a bosom friend of yours, but love is a strange thing and overpowered us both. He has told me things of you and how unhappy he was at home, and me being only a child, I became very much infatuated with him. He would tell me mean things that he was doing.

"I suppose now it was to turn my love against you. Kearney, I know that you love me, as you have given me everything that I was in your power to do. It nearly breaks my heart to think of our dear little home, as I know it has been wrecked, but, believe me, I am not to blame, for you know I was only a child and he a grown man, maybe 33 years old, when the situation was as it was.

"He had more money than you."

"He having so much more money than you and you off at your daily work, little by little he has won me.

"Now, Kearney, I can say that Devan Scarborough is the really man that has ever come into my life.

"Kearney, I'm sure that Sadie Scarborough is the party that sent or had that letter sent to you; in fact, Devan says he knows that she did it, and is doing all that she can against him, and says that she's going to tell you much.

"I have prayed over this."

"Dear Kearney, I think it's my duty to tell you this, as you know all. I have prayed over this and this is what I think best. I believe, and know that God has forgiven my sins and I hope that you will do the same.

"Do not, for my sake, have any trouble, but I cannot help but do this, as I'm going to live a different life, no matter what it costs. Do not fail to come on 3:30 train and we will talk this matter over. Please forgive, for I want to do right and I think I have.

"Tears, if you will let me be, SHANNON."

"Your wife, SHANNON."

Buy See Candy Bargain Friday.
Fine Assorted Chocolates, including
Chocolate Marshmallows, 20c lb.

DRURY COLLEGE FACULTY NOT ALLOWED TO SMOKE

President of Congregational
School at Springfield, (Mo.).
Tells Minister Here of New Rule.

A no-smoking rule has been adopted for the faculty of Drury College, a Congregational school at Springfield, Mo., the president, Dr. James G. McMurry, announced to the Missouri Congregational Conference held in St. Louis yesterday.

Dr. McMurry said that of 300 applications for a vacancy on the faculty recently he eliminated from consideration all those who used tobacco, and that of the professors obtained this year not one smoked.

Dr. McMurry said in the future no tobacco user would be added to the faculty.

JOHN: I'm in love with you and a beautiful woman. You can get the watch at Jettie Bros. & Co., the National Credit Jewelers, 24 N. 5th St., 508 N. 6th. Open every evening.

MOTOR CYCLE RIDER HURT

Chauffeur's Skull Fractured
When He Collides With Wagon.

Martin Heid, 27 years old, a chauffeur, of 3001 Tennessee avenue, was thrown from his motor cycle when it collided with a grocery wagon driven by Ivan Litau of 233 Sublette avenue, at King's highway and Old Manchester road, about 2 o'clock this morning. He was taken to the city hospital, where it was found his skull was fractured.

Litau was arrested on a charge of carelessness. The police say he was driving north on the west side of the street in violation of the traffic regulations.

Negro Kills Publisher, Is Killed.

SHREVEPORT, La., Oct. 1.—R. M. Deaholms, business manager of the Shreveport Times, was shot and killed in his office last night by a negro, who it is thought was demoted. He demanded that a statement be had prepared be published. A policeman shot and killed the negro as he left the office.

Nugent's

Only 2 More Days



Before
Old Mesh Bags Made New
(Repaired, Lined, Replated.)

WE will make a new Bag of your old one. We'll reline it with kid or silk, replat it and fix all the broken links, and send it back to you like new.

Half Price Now—\$1.00

Gold Bags renewed, too, for \$2.00—the regular charge is \$3.50.

This is only a passing opportunity, which closes Saturday—positively.

Bring in old, in-the-way Bags. You'll be pleased. (Main Floor.)



The New

Dorothy Dodd

Shoes Are Here

THIS WILL be pleasing news to women who have been inquiring for them.

The illustration shows one of the newest and most popular lasts and patterns of the Fall 1914 Season.

We are exclusive sellers of DOROTHY DODD Shoes in St. Louis, and we have put a great showing of them in our big window on the Broadway and Washington Avenue thoroughfares.

We show them quite pretentiously in our newly enlarged Shoe Section on the Fourth Floor—something like thirty different models being displayed.

Patent colt with drab gray, patent inlaid circular heel foxing; leather Louis heels; flexible weltsed soles. \$6.00

Patent vamp with black corkscrew cloth quarter, a beautiful shade of gray quarter with patent vamp; patent colt with brocade and cloth quarter, all \$5.00

Fawn, taupe and black quarter models with patent vamps and Louis leather heels. \$4.25

Leather and brocade quarters. \$3.75

Styles have never been prettier nor more widely different than this season.

Will you accept our courtesy to a look, soon? (Fourth Floor.)

Demonstration Closing



Mrs. L. H. Husband

Leaves Saturday Evening

Your Opportunity Is Now.

TO KNOW wherein the present model corsets differ from those of past seasons is most essential to the perfect fitting of the new Dress, Gown or Tailored Suit.

To set at rest any question in your mind in that line we suggest that you view the great variety of new model Corsets we are specializing in

Bon Ton Corsets, \$3.75 to \$15

and Royal Worcester

Corsets, \$1 to \$3.50

No garment can fit its best over an ill-fitting corset. Therefore it is highly important to know that Mrs. L. H. Husband, who is demonstrating the points of favor in Bon Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets, will be here until Saturday at store-closing time only. She is a Corsetiere of rarest talent, and we are exceedingly desirous that you avail yourself of her services while here.

She will not only help you select the proper model for your figure but will instruct you in the most hygienic fitting methods, which will be worth much to your comfort and health in the future.

This is to invite you to be sure to see her. (Fourth Floor.)

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

THE new Fall Home Book of Fashions, illustrating the newest Fall designs, including those shown in the Ladies' Home Journal, is on sale now in our Pattern Department.

The price includes a ticket for any 15-cent patterns that you may select. (Fourth Floor.)

\$6.50 & \$7.00 Hats, \$5.00



TRIMMED Hats of most exceptional beauty and originality to be sold at \$5 tomorrow.

Ostrich trimmed, or trimmed with fancy feathers and other high-class novelties.

Shapes are mostly handmade and blocked—are the best styles of this season.

Fine Silk Velvets are invariably used.

This is the greatest early-offering of the season.

\$4.50 & \$5 Trimmed Hats, \$2.98

Some very pretty Hats for women to have at such a good saving. All new models; trimmed with gold and silver novelties, pheasant tails and other novel effects.

Shapes, \$1.29

All-silk Velvet Shapes and Fur Felts combined with Velvets.

Values \$2.50 to \$4.50.

Feathers

All the late ideas of the season shown in these new Feathers we have just opened.

39c to \$1.49

(Second Floor.)

"Mended" Kid Gloves

Last Shipment This Season

THIS is a splendid lot of 2 and 3-Clasp Women's Kid Gloves, including all sizes in black and colors—P. K. sewn, cape and overseam, being "menders" from regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 qualities—this lot goes on sale Friday on Bargain Square 7 and 8.

All at this one special price. 50c

(Main Floor.)

Very Special

75c, 85c Silk Remnants, 30c

Tub Silks, 36 inches wide, plain colors; Satin Messalines, 24 inches wide, brocade effects; Foulards, neat figures, 24 inches wide; Messalines, 27 inches wide; light or dark colors. (Main Floor.)

85c Black Foulards, 30c

Cheney's showerproof Foulards, plain black, soft satin finish. (Main Floor.)

\$1.98 Silk Crepe, 49c

Tan and Nell Rose Silk Crepe, 30 inches wide, good quality. (Main Floor.)

\$1.98 Moire Silks, 98c

Moire Silks, 40 inches wide, Copenhagen blue or Nell Rose, splendid quality. (Main Floor.)

50c Dress Goods, 25c

350 yards of plain and fancy Dress Goods on one big table. This lot includes Bedford cords, fancy checks, light and dark colors. (Basement.)

\$1.50 and \$2 Suits, 69c

Fine all-wool Suits, 54 inches wide, good Fall shades, plain or mannish effects. (Main Floor.)

Utica Sheets and Pillow Cases

Great Sale Makers' Seconds

THE makers of Utica Sheets and Pillow Cases are so jealous of their name that they reject a sheet or pillow case for the slightest imperfection—a loose thread in the hemming, a small spot of oil, a coarse thread, a slight failure of the bleaching to bring them to their usual snow whiteness—but nothing whatever to really damage the usefulness of the article.

We are very large users of Utica Sheets and Pillow Cases (perhaps the largest west of the Mississippi) and are favored with a shipment of their "Seconds" whenever they have any accumulation.

THIS IS THE STORY: Now the goods have arrived and will be found in ample profusion Friday morning in our regular Bedding Department—also on Bargain Squares on the Main Floor of our Main Store and in the Bedding Section of Basement. These goods are branded by the Utica Mills with an O, signifying ONEIDA, the name given by the Utica Mills to their Seconds.

72x90 Sheets, regular price 75c, Sale Price at... 59c

81x90 Sheets, regular price 85c, Sale Price at... 69c

81x99 Sheets, regular price 90c, Sale Price at... 74c

81x108 Sheets, regular price 95c, Sale Price at... 79c

90x99 Sheets, regular price 95c, Sale Price at... 79c

90x108 Sheets, regular price \$1.00, Sale Price at... 84c

42x36 Cases, regular price 20c, Sale Price at... 15c

45x36 Cases, regular price 21c, Sale Price at... 15c



(Main Floor, Second Floor and Basement.)

Very Special

18c Gingham, 7 1/2c

300 yards of very fine quality Dress Gingham, 32 in. wide, colored grounds, woven stripes. (Basement.)

25c New Cloth, 10c

Printed New Cloth, 27 inches wide, colored grounds, printed floral patterns. (Basement.)

35c Pique Suits, 11c

Suits, 27 inches wide, plain colors, some with self-colored stripes. (Basement.)

50c Crepe Suits, 25c

Half-silk Crepe Suits, 27 inches wide, solid colors, self-colored silk jacquards. (Main Floor.)

\$1.00 Black Serge, 69c

Fine all-wool black Diagonal Serge, 43 inches wide, medium weight, rich jet black. (Main Floor.)

\$2.25 Broadcloth, \$1.49

Fine all-wool imported black Chiffon Broadcloth, 53 inches wide, satin finished (sponged and shrunk). (Main Floor.)

Soap Economies—Know Them!

OPPORTUNITIES like this come all too seldom—so supply your needs for some time now.

25c Shavalla Shaving Stick, 10c

10c Jap Rose or Juvenile Soap, 7c

10c Laco Castle Soap, 7c

10c Peroxide Bath Soap, 7c

10c Maxine Elliot Butter-milk Soap, 7c

10c Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap, 7c

10c Erasmus Wilson's Glycerine Soap, 7c

10c Lano oil, butter-milk or glycerine soap at 7c

10c Auditorium Bath Soap, 7c

10c Palm Olive Soap, 7c

25c Imported Glycerine Soap, 14c

Kirk's Corona Toilet Soap, 6c

5c Violet Toilet Soap, 3 cakes, 10c

Williams' Shaving Soap, 4c

Shavalla Shaving Stick, 10c

15c (Pearls) unscented soap, 12c

25c Societe Hygienique soap, 27c

5c Sweetheart Soap, 3 cakes for 10c

75c bar French Castile Soap, 40c

Gibbs' Bath Tablets, 12 oz. in box; cake, 10c

10c soap, 10c

Gibbs' Bath Tablets, large size; cake, 15c

10c Physicians' and Surgeons' Soap, 7c

25c Resinol Soap, 7c

15c Packard's Tar Soap, 7c

25c Herpicide Scalp Soap, 7c

5c Sweetheart Soap, 3 cakes for 10c

Men's \$10 & \$12 Suits

Fall Weights and Styles, \$5

SUITS for men to wear on the streets or to work in—just the weights and styles that are good.

It's a very rare offering and comes about in the most favorable ways:

Some are broken lots from our regular lines.

Others are high-class Sample Suits, made by a noted clothing factory.

Worsted, Scotch Cheviots, Cassimeres, Black Thibet and Blue Serges.

We can fit you—or any other man. A hundred and fifty suits only.

Odd Coats, \$2.00 (Some From \$20.00 Suits)

Men's Coats and Youths' Coats—odds left from several dozen suits. Some of the suits sold as high as \$20.00. The coat is counted half the suit—in the clothing business. So these would be up to \$10.00 regular values.

Boys' \$3.00 Suits, \$1.95

Blue, gray or brown cheviots or cassimeres, in mixtures—the best kind of wearing patterns. Norfolk or knickers; cut full; 7 to 17 sizes.

Boys' \$3 Overcoats, \$1.95

Double-breasted Overcoats that button close up to the neck—military collar. Cheviots—blue, gray or brown mixtures. Fine Coats for so little—3/4 to 8 year sizes. (Third Floor.)

B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.

Rugs, Linoleums, Curtains

Late News of Interest

\$33.50 Rugs, \$24.00

Extra large Royal Axminster Rugs, size 11.3x12; large line of Fall designs.

\$22.50 Rugs, \$18.75

Alexander Smith & Sons' Saxony Axminster Rugs, very heavy nap, Oriental or floral patterns; size 9x12.

\$20 and \$22.50 Rugs, \$17.75

Alexander Smith & Sons' Seamless Palisade Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 9x12, wanted patterns.

\$25.00 Rugs, \$17.90

Extra large Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 10.6x12, both floral and Oriental patterns.

50c and 55c Linoleum, 30c

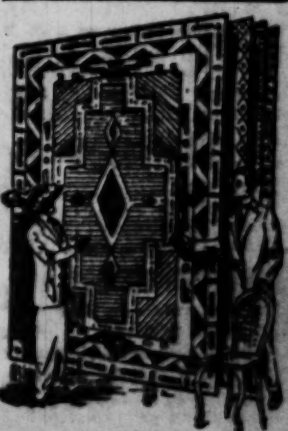
Heavy Linoleum, 2 yards wide, hardwood designs or small tile effects.

65c Linoleum, 40c

Linoleum made of real cork and linseed oil, 12 feet wide, patterns for kitchen or bathroom square yard, 49c.

65c and 75c Linoleum, 35c

Remnants of 4-yard-wide Linoleum, lengths up to 16 yards; yard, 35c.



55c and 65c Linoleum, 25c

Remnants of 2-yard-wide Linoleum, lengths up to 8 square yards, yard, 25c.

\$1.75 Lace Curtains, \$1.00

450 pairs of Curtains, made of fine Egyptian cotton yarn, 3 to 3 1/2 yards long, both white and Arabian colors.

\$9.75 Vacuum Cleaners, \$6.45

Genuine "Duntley" Vacuum Cleaners, 1914 model brush attachment.

(Second and Third Floors.)

Dies in Hospital Reception Room.
Mrs. Rose Kuntze, 41 years old, of 1725 De Kalb street was found unconscious in bed at 1 o'clock this morning. She was taken to the city hospital where she died in the reception room. Her husband, Anton Kuntze, told the police she retired at 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon complaining of severe cramps.

Specialist Explains Cause of Stomach Trouble

VALUABLE ADVICE TO SUFFERERS
"There are many different forms of stomach trouble," said a well-known specialist recently, "but practically all are traceable to excessive acidity and food fermentation. That is why the results obtained from the use of drugs are usually so disappointing. Admitting fermentation and consequent acidity of the food contents to be the underlying cause of most forms of indigestion, it naturally follows that the use of a reliable antacid, such as the pure bicarbonate of soda, will produce better results than any known drug or combination of drugs. Accordingly I almost invariably advise those who complain of indigestive trouble to get some bicarbonate of soda (note the name carefully, as many other brands are on the market) and take from one to two teaspoonsful of the powder or two grains of granulated tablets with a little water after meals. This by immediately neutralizing the acid and stopping the fermentation, removes the cause of all the trouble and insures normal and healthy digestion." Sold by Johnson Bros. Drug Co., Wolf-Wilson Drug Co., Judge & Dolph Drug Co., 3 stores, Westport Drug Co.-ADV.

Williams Sixth and Franklin We Give Eagle Stamps

"Franklin Fall Festival"
This Week, 500 Free Prizes. Free Coupons at This Store.

Wednesday Specials \$2.50 "Baby Doll" Button Boots

Patent leather, cloth top or gun-metal, broad, plain toe, low flange heel. Our special price, \$2.00.

"Baby Moccasins"
In dainty white, tan, or black, with ribbon trimmings. Like cut, sizes 6 to 8; 50c value; our special price, 25c.

"Jockey Boots"
Gunmetal or patent. Misses' 1 1/2 to 3, \$1.69. Children's 3 to 11, \$1.39. Children's 3 to 8, 98c.

"Schoolmate Shoes"
For Boys. Gunmetal lace, with solid oak soles. Sizes 7 to 13. Little Men's 9 to 13 1/2, \$1.25. Built for hard wear.

FISH Remley Market 6th and FRANKLIN FRIDAY SPECIAL
Sale Starts Today at 2 P. M.
Dressed Buffalo 9 1/2c
Channel Cat 13 1/2c
SUNFISH 6c
Sliced Cat 11c
Whole Fish 11c
Sliced Halibut 12 1/2c
Fresh Oysters, qt. 25c
Red River Potatoes, 10c
30c peck value—1/2 peck
Spinach, 15c val., 1/2 pk. 50c
Apples, 25c val., 1/2 pk. 10c
PURE LARD, 11c
3-lb. limit to customer; please bring pail, lb.
VEAL CUTLETS, 20c
Veal Chops, lb. 15c
Lamb Stew, lb. 12 1/2c
Chuck Roast, lb. 11c
1914 Spring Lamb, 65c
Forequarters 50c
FRANKFURTERS, 12 1/2c
15c value—peck 12c
PORK STEAKS, 15c
Better than tenderloin, lb.
Strictly Fresh Eggs, 22c
Every one guaranteed.

FIGHT OVER THE ARBITRARY MAKES SHIPPERS SUFFER

Complaints on Delays Are Filed With Interstate Commerce Commission.

Five Western railroads, having failed in their efforts to persuade 11 Eastern lines to pay a portion of the bridge arbitrary charges on traffic passing through St. Louis, have declared war. The Western lines are now engaged in a flanking movement on their Eastern enemies. The Eastern lines announced yesterday that they had made certain concessions to the Western lines, which they hoped would restore peace. The concessions, according to the Western lines, amounted merely to a change in the verbiage of a previously issued ultimatum. The Western lines still have to pay all the arbitrary charges, except upon such traffic as they are able to divert over the Burlington lines on the East Side. The Burlington, which has both east and west side lines, is accepting traffic from the Western lines and paying the transfer charges, but the Vandallia, Big Four, Chicago & Alton, Illinois Central, Clover Leaf, Mobile & Ohio, Southern, Baltimore & Ohio, Chicago and Eastern Illinois, Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis and Wabash are refusing to move any shipments from the West unless the Western lines pay the Terminal's arbitrary charges, which amount to 25 or more on each car.

Cotton Belt Is Neutral.
The West Side allies are the Katy, Frisco, Rock Island, Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain. The only St. Louis railroad maintaining neutrality in the war is the Cotton Belt, which has both East Side and West Side connections. The Western lines have issued a "white paper," which shows why they have gone to war. They asked the Eastern lines to accept this resolution, which the Eastern lines unanimously refused to do.

"In order that the cost of interchange between Eastern and Western lines at St. Louis and East St. Louis may be equitably divided, it is agreed by the parties here represented that on and after this date the expense of bridge and ferry tolls, or charges of other transportation companies, between St. Louis and East St. Louis, shall be paid by the line receiving the traffic." Even if this resolution had been adopted the Western lines assert, through their representatives, that they still would have been compelled to pay about two-thirds of the arbitrary charges, as they receive more freight from the Eastern lines than the Eastern lines receive from them. The Eastern lines set up the claim that they had an agreement with the Western lines which obligated the Western lines to pay the arbitrary charges, as they receive more freight from the Eastern lines than the Eastern lines receive from them. The concession made by the Eastern lines is the withdrawal of the claim that any such agreement existed.

Embargo Broke Alliance.
At the beginning of hostilities the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis line, which is not a member of the Terminal Association, was an ally of the Western roads, and accepted freight on the conditions laid down in the resolution. It is charged by the Western lines that the C. & P. & St. L. was forced to withdraw from the Western Alliance and throw its support to the Eastern lines by an embargo placed upon it by the Terminal Railroad Association, which refused to deliver any more freight to it.

The Interstate Commerce Commission is making a thorough investigation of the controversy, and the Western lines expect it will issue an order directing the Eastern lines to pay their proper share of the transfer charges. Several shippers who had cars of freight delayed in St. Louis have filed complaints with the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Western railroads have laid the merits of the controversy before their lawyers, and may seek by court mandamus to compel the Eastern lines to pay a share of the transfer charges. The Western lines say that the Eastern lines publish St. Louis rates, but refuse to apply those rates except on St. Louis business. On the through business they refuse to make a St. Louis rate, but terminate their haul in East St. Louis. The Western roads assert that this is a discrimination against them, and say further that the same rates that are made to the public ought to be made to the West Side roads.

Busy Bee Candy Bargain Friday.
Fine Assorted Chocolates, including Chocolate Maraschino Cherries, 25c lb.

TREE TRIMMER VICTIM OF AN ELECTRIC SHOCK

Pruning Pole Touches Live Wire; Fall Is Believed to Have Fractured Man's Skull.
Anton Halseth, 24 years old, of 1217 South Sixth street, a tree trimmer employed by the City Forester, was trimming a tree in front of 332 Bailey avenue, this forenoon, when his pruning pole came in contact with an electric wire and he received a shock which knocked him out of the tree. He fell 5 feet to the pavement. Physicians at the city hospital say his skull is probably fractured. He received bruises of the body.

DEAR TOM: I will name the day when you get the diamond ring, 5c to 10c. 300 N. 5th. Store is open evenings.

4500 HORSES ARE SOUGHT BY FRENCH IN EAST ST. LOUIS

Party of Officers Will Fill Entire Order at Stockyards if Possible.

An order for 4500 cavalry and artillery horses for the French army was placed yesterday at the National Stockyards by Capt. Rudolph Dupre of the French army. The work of inspecting and selecting the horses was begun late in the afternoon and was continued until 8 o'clock, when 250 had been accepted. Capt. Dupre's party, consisting of seven men, officers and veterinarians, will remain here indefinitely, selecting and shipping horses. They will not go to other markets if they are able to get here all the animals that they need. If the war continues a very large number will be needed. The requirement for cavalry horses is that they must be from 14 hands and 3

inches to 15 hands and 3 inches high. Artillery horses must be more than 15 hands and 3 inches in height. All colors are accepted except gray. The prices paid range from \$125 to \$170. There has been no increase in prices. The purchases are being made through two stockyard firms. The animals are

Constipation One of the Penalties of Age

Nothing is so essential to health in advancing age as keeping the bowels open. It makes one feel younger and fresher and forestalls colds, piles, fevers, and other dependent ills.

Cathartics and purgatives are violent and drastic in action and should be avoided. A mild, effective laxative-tonic, recommended by physicians and thousands who have used it, is the combination of simple herbs with pepsin sold by druggists everywhere under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. The price is fifty cents and one dollar a bottle. For a free trial bottle write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 451 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

to be shipped to New York and sent across from there. In the last two months representatives of the British Government have purchased more than 1000 horses at the yards. Their orders were to purchase 10,000 at St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha and Chicago. Until the order is filled

Pile Remedy Free

Sample of Pyramid Pile Remedy mailed free for trial gives quick relief, stops itching, bleeding or protruding piles, hemorrhoids and all rectal troubles. In the privacy of your own home, 50c a box at all druggists. Free sample for trial with booklet mailed free in plain wrapper.

FREE SAMPLE COUPON
PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY, 614 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich. Kindly send me a Free sample of Pyramid Pile Remedy, in plain wrapper.
Name.....
Street.....
City..... State.....

200 a week are to be taken here. These animals are shipped through Canada. There has been delay in getting them across the ocean because of the movement of troops, but most of the Canadian soldiers have crossed now and the horses will be sent forward.

Order Involves \$750,000.
The French order for 4500 involves about \$750,000. It is expected that if the war continued long 100,000 horses will be needed by the allies. So far no mules have been purchased. This is understood to be because mules are used for heavy hauling. The seven men with Capt. Dupre are Guillaume de Lezange, Jean de Gonnay, H. Lafente, L. W. Miller, G. C. Miller, William Post and G. F. Mayer. Post is from New York and is understood to have charge of the banking end of the transactions.

Busy Bee Candy Bargain Friday.
Fine Assorted Chocolates, including Chocolate Maraschino Cherries, 25c lb.

NEW ORLEANS Free of Plague.
NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 1.—For the second time since bubonic plague was discovered here June 27, there are no cases under observation. The last patient at the isolation hospital was discharged yesterday as cured. Of 23 cases reported seven proved fatal.

Epworth Home Tag Day Saturday.
Tag day for the Epworth Home for Girls will be Saturday. A lunch room will be operated at Seventh and Pine streets as part of the campaign to raise funds. The Epworth

Home, founded in 1893, is for the care of delinquent girls and is supported entirely by donations. The committee in charge of tag day collections is Mrs. E. Willbrandt, Mrs. E. F. H. Wenneker and Mrs. Grant A. Robbins.

MAKES THE HAIR FLUFFY, LUSTROUS AND BEAUTIFUL IN A FEW MOMENTS

Girls! Get a 25 cent bottle of "Danderine" and try this. Also stops falling hair and scalp itch; destroys dandruff.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair. But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it.—ADV.

Pennsylvania
BROADWAY AND MORGAN ST.
UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

POWERFUL MONEY-SAVING ARGUMENTS

Valuable facts and prices that forcibly demonstrate the purchasing power of money here—also a guide to Fall shoppers to get what they want for the least cost. Others may equal our prices but not our values.

Bankrupt Sale of Women's Apparel

COMPRISING a gigantic purchase of the last and best of Olian Bros., manufacturers, city, immense stocks, which we are able to offer at less than half the wholesale prices, and to make this the most-talked-of event we will include some of our stock at equal reductions—for two days only. The sale to us has been approved by Judge C. D. West, referee in bankruptcy, U. S. Court.

Silk Taffeta Dresses \$4.98
HANDSOME changeable silk Taffeta Dresses in assorted colors including blues; in the latest multi-tunic effect skirt; extraordinary values at.....
Pretty Silk Dresses \$3.98
MESSALINE silk and silk Crepe Dresses in all the wanted evening shades; just the gowns for party wear; great bargains at.....
Silk Dresses \$2.98
Handsome dresses in evening shades—small sizes only; dresses that under any other condition would sell at \$10.....
Wool Serge Dresses \$1.00
All-wool serge Dresses in tan or gray; each dress in this lot is worth \$5; for two days.....
All-Wool Broadcloth Suits \$8.98
ALL-WOOL Broadcloth Suits—in the new short length, satin lined coat effect—colors are navy, brown or black—the value is \$16.50—Friday and Saturday.....

Ladies' Suits \$1.98
SHORT, plain tailored, light colored all-wool serge Suits—an extraordinary value, at.....
\$2.00 Solsette Waists 50c
MADE of black and white cashmere Waists—worth up to \$2.00—Bankrupt Sale price.....
\$2.00 Top Skirts 50c
MADE of black and white flannel cloth—worth \$2.98—each—only a few at this price.....
\$1 Wash Boilers 49c
Made extra heavy, with solid copper bottom and lid; extra special.....
65c Feather Pillows 39c
Covered in very fine quality art ticking; 5 lbs. to pair; each.....
Children's Sweaters 50c
White, red and gray, with pockets; 2 to 5 years; 7 lbs. values (Second Floor), at.....
Dressing Sackies 35c
Made of good quality ginghams and percales; 3 lb. values; Friday.....
98c Olney Scarfs 59c
And Centerpieces to match, with beautiful wide Olney insertion and edge; just arrived for Friday (Aisle 3).....
35c Lace Curtains 10c
Made of good quality nets; 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 yards long; worth 35c; on sale Friday.....
Men's 50c Underwear 29c
Winter weight; flat fleece-lined shirts or drawers; well finished; slight second; special.....

REMNANTS

Dress Goods—Silks—Velvets
Remnants of plain and fancy silks, furbies, etc.; 1 to 1 yard lengths, each..... 5c
Remnants of printed meter, caques, shirtings, etc.; 1 to 6 yard lengths, yard..... 15c
Remnants of messaline, Roman lards, satins, broads, etc.; 2 to 10 yd. lengths, yard..... 25c
Remnants of velvets and velveteens..... 39c
Remnants of plain and novelty dress fabrics; all collected in one big bargain square and marked extremely cheap for rapid selling. (Basement.)

Four Friday Millinery Bargains

This Stylish Trimmed Sailor at \$1.95

THESE stylish sailors are made of good quality velvet. They come both in soft and hard crowns and trimmed with a gold or silver band. They are finished off with three flowers. This \$1.95 hat is a regular \$4.00 value, but as a Friday special, only.....

More Good News! More of the Large Black "Broadway Sailors" at 84c

TO comply with the demand for these wonderful Broadway velvet sailors we have secured 50 dozen which we place on sale Friday on Main Floor at 84c the exceptional low price of.....

Gold Flowers 24c
THESE flowers are the most up-to-the-minute trimming, and a wonderful assortment. Values up to 75c, for Friday only.....
Peacock Feathers 24c
THESE Peacock Feathers are a branch by one, two or three in a bunch, making a wonderful trimming.....

BOY'S SUITS

Values up to \$5.00.
THESE garments are made of good wool materials in dark shades; wool Scotchies, cheviots and all-wool blue serges—sizes 7 to 18—Friday only, \$2.79.
75c Boys' Knickers, 42c
BOYS' Knicker Pants of good wool materials, in all new colors; sizes 6 to 17; Friday only..... 42c

Save Money on Shoes for the Family Tomorrow

Greatest Values in All St. Louis
Boys' & Girls' Shoes
BOYS' dull calf and patent button Shoes; sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$1.69, sizes 6 to 11, \$1.59.
GIRLS' solid school Shoes; button styles; sizes 1 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$1.39; sizes 6 to 11, \$1.19.
CHILD'S \$1.25 Sample Shoes; all leathers; special..... 79c
Infants soft Kid Shoes..... 49c
LITTLE men's satin half School Shoes; button and lace; sizes 9 to 13 1/2..... \$1.00

Sale of Men's Nightshirts and Pajamas

75c Muslin Nightshirts
GOOD quality muslin; neatly trimmed; full cut; well made; sizes 15 to 19; special..... 39c
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Pajamas 89c
MADE of mercerized pongee; military collar; trimmed with silk frog; in solid colors or stripes; all sizes; special.....
\$1 Flannelette and Muslin Nightshirts 69c
HEAVY quality cutting flannel with collar; pink or blue striped; good quality cambric; neatly trimmed; full cut; extra long; special.....

Tempting Bargains in Housefurnishings

Best Aluminum Preserve Kettles 59c
Extra heavy quality; each piece guaranteed; \$1.50 value; 8-qt. size.....
\$2 to \$3 Aluminum 68c
2-qt. value; 10-qt. size.....
Electric Showers 49c
As illustrated; chain effect with large ceiling plates; all wired with sockets ready to hang.
\$2 Electric Shower, 1-light..... 95c
\$2 1/2 Electric Shower, 2-light..... \$1.45
\$3 Electric Shower, 3-light..... \$1.85
\$3 1/2 Electric Shower, 4-light..... \$2.75
\$2 Combination 1 Gas, 1 Electric Fixture (see cut); all wired with socket and insulating joint..... 95c
10-pt. Tea Kettles or 4-pt. double Boilers; 76c
Imported ware; extra special values, at.....

Extra Good Values In the Basement Friday

75c Remnants—American and other makes; Dress Prints in lengths suitable for all purposes, yard..... 3 1/2c
8c Chambray Glazings—Fast colors; in blue, pink and tan; on sale Friday, per yard..... 5c
12 1/2c Printed Flannels—Styles in demand for fall wear in figures, stripes, dots and rings; per yard..... 6 1/2c
15c to 25c Wash Goods; Remnants; yard wide; blouse linen, Rippelette, Suiting, Galatea Cloth, Poplins, etc..... 10c
75c Flannelette Long Kimonos; well made; in all sizes; very special; Friday..... 39c
75c Petticoats—Made of the very best double fleeced flannelette; in basement..... 39c
35c Silk, Mercerized, Fustian, Satens; new Fall designs; very fine material; per yard..... 22c
6c Dress Silks—36 inches wide; in all shades, also the new shades of silver gray; at per yard..... 49c
25c Wool Finished Dress Suiting—in dress and skirt lengths; yard wide; special..... 16 1/2c

RUGS

\$18.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12..... \$10.98
\$15.00 Axminster Room Rugs..... \$8.75
\$16.00 Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9x12..... \$9.98
\$11.00 Brussels Rugs, 9x12..... \$7.98
\$10.00 Crex Rugs, 9x12..... \$6.75
\$7.00 Wool Ingrain, 9x12..... \$3.98

LINOLEUM

50c and 75c Values
A NEW assortment of mill remnants Linoleum, both 2 and 4 yards wide; choice patterns, best quality; yard..... 29c
75c and 85c Values
A FINE selection of 4-yard wide Linoleum, in choice patterns; hardwood tile and floral effects; best quality; yard..... 39c
35c Floor Oldcloth remnants; per yard..... 19c

**WILLIAM M'C. MARTIN
FEDERAL RESERVE AGENT**

W. W. Smith, Bank Examiner, and J. W. Boehne of Indiana, Other Class C. Directors.

William McChesney Martin, vice-president of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co., was yesterday appointed chairman and Federal Reserve agent of the Federal Reserve Bank, which will be established in St. Louis. Walter W. Smith, a national bank examiner residing here, and John W. Boehne of Evansville, Ind., were named as the other two class

C directors of the St. Louis bank. These appointments complete the board of directors. It is composed of nine men, five of whom are from this city. The other St. Louis members are F. O. Watts, president of the Third National Bank; Walter Hill, President of the Mechanics-American National Bank; and Murray Carleton, president of the Carleton-Ferguson Drygoods Co. The directors will meet next week to take up preliminary matters. The discount department is expected to be the first put in operation.

Martin is 40 years old and has been connected with the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. for about 15 years. Smith,

before he became bank examiner, was for nine years in the trust department of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. He has been chairman of the southwestern group of bank examiners and has had seven of the western states within his jurisdiction.

One Minute Toothache Stick
Stops toothache quick. All druggists, 10c.

Singer Co. Cuts Quarterly Dividend.
NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The Singer Manufacturing Co., which is affiliated with the Singer Sewing Machine Co., has cut its quarterly dividend from 4 to 2 per cent. It was announced yesterday. The capital stock of the company is \$80,000,000.

**EQUAL SUFFRAGE
BOOSTERS WIDEN
STATE CAMPAIGN**

Larger Headquarters Made
Necessary by Active Support
of St. Louis Women.

The equal suffrage campaign in Missouri has developed into such a big movement that it has become necessary to open ground floor headquarters at the southeast corner of Eighth and Locust streets.

Streamers have been placed across both streets from the command: "Vote for Constitutional Amendment No. 12." An active campaign is to be waged during the intervening time before the election, Nov. 2.

Mrs. Alice Curtis Moyer, secretary of the Equal Suffrage League, has charge of the speakers' bureau, and is able to furnish speakers promptly for all occasions. Miss Charlotte Rumbold is directing the publicity department, and Miss Genevieve Tierney of the Business Women's Equal Suffrage League has charge of the business end of the campaign, assisted by Mrs. R. L. Sanford.

Mrs. David Noel, Mrs. H. L. Wickmann, formerly Miss West MacCoy, who had charge of Republican headquarters for many years; Miss Leone Robinson and Mrs. B. F. Burch are aiding in the practical political work of the campaign.

Mrs. W. C. Fordyce is in charge of ward organization, and Mrs. Moyer is co-operating with her.

Dr. Anne Shaw, the noted suffrage leader, will spend Oct. 16, 17 and 18 in St. Louis and nearby towns, making speeches for the suffrage cause. She will preach in the First Christian Church, of which the Rev. John W. Brandt is pastor, Sunday morning, Oct. 12. The Business Women's Equal Suffrage League, Miss Emma Faust, president; Washington University Equal Suffrage League, Elinor Tucker, president, and the Jewish Women's Equal Suffrage League, Miss Rebecca Rifkin, president, have joined with the St. Louis Equal Suffrage League in directing the campaign.

The Business Women's Equal Suffrage League will give a trolley ride Saturday over the Creve Coeur route. A large open car will be on the switch at Third street and Washington avenue at 3 p. m. The car was placed at the disposal of the league some time ago by Capt. McCulloch. Mrs. Sarah Spraggon will be conductor and collect 25-cent fares from the passengers.

**POLICE HOLD MAN WHO
SEEKS DIAMOND ROBBERS**

Assert He Fired Shot to Show
What He Would Do to As-
sailants of Wife.

James Regan, a city teaming contractor, living in a flat over a saloon at 208 North Twenty-first street, was held at police headquarters today, as a result of his attempt to personally bring to justice two men who entered his flat last night and stole from his wife's ears her diamond earrings.

Mrs. Regan reported the theft to the police last night. She said she was standing in the hall of the flat when the men entered. Her husband arrived a few minutes afterwards, and when he heard his wife's story, declared that he was going to "get them."

He was next heard from at 6 o'clock this morning, when policemen heard the sound of a shot from the saloon beneath the Regan flat. The proprietor told them that Regan had fired the shot while explaining to him what he would do when he found the thieves. The bullet had gone through the ceiling into the Regan flat.

Regan was arrested. He denied firing the shot. One of the earrings was found in the hallway of the Regan flat, and near it was a hat containing the initials "W. A." Mrs. Regan said she thought she recognized one of the men.

La Salle Friday Bargains.
French Fruit Patties, 40c grade, 20c lb.
Pecan Nut Brittle, 40c grade, 20c lb.

**"BUTTERFLIES," HE CALLS
GIRLS; BADLY BEATEN**

Police Telephone Operator
Lands in Inebriate Ward After
Assault Is Arrested.

Michael Slattery, 30 years old, of 2001 Montgomery street, employed as a telephone operator in the Police Department, was found at Seventh street and Washington avenue last night, his lips split and head bruised. After being suspended from duty he was taken to the inebriate ward.

Irene Jackson of 2400 Franklin avenue and Pay Wheeler of 2323 Franklin avenue told the police they passed the corner just before Slattery was attacked and that someone called them "butterflies." They turned around to see who had made the remark, they said, and saw a man beating Slattery.

Tony Lorenzo, 24 years old, a peddler, living at Franklin avenue, told the police he was the one who struck Slattery for insulting the two women. He was arrested.

Busy Bee Candy Bargains Friday.
Fine Assorted Chocolates, including
Chocolate Marshmallow Charries, 20c lb.

AUTOS IN A COLLISION

Machines Clash Despite Efforts
of Drivers to Avert Crash.

Two autos, each trying to avert a collision, bumped cars at Ridge and Bell avenues last evening. Harry Pfleger of 19 Kingsbury place was rounding the corner just as James Toomey of 7221 Cote Brillante avenue was dodging a wagon. In trying to keep from hitting Toomey's machine Pfleger drove his car into a telephone pole, from which it bounced against the auto of Toomey, who was steering out of Pfleger's path.

The Toomey car was damaged \$50 and Pfleger's about \$200. Neither was injured.

Steinberg's
Olive at Tenth

**French Blouses Reproduced**

and added to the Steinberg lines, priced

\$5, \$6, \$7.50 and \$9

Lace, Crepe de Chine and Satin effects, in white and colors—the very newest ideas. Four of these stylish blouses are here illustrated—they are taken from groups containing many replicas of French models.

The Shadow Lace Blouse here shown is a combination of silk shadow lace and satin, with high satin collar. Priced **\$5.00**.

Another model of crepe de chine with braid trimming and large oblong buttons; has roll collar. Priced **\$6.00**.

We also show a Blouse of plaid and plain silk combination, with high collar. Priced **\$7.50**.

Another of colored crepe de chine with high Marguerite collar; has self-colored embroidered front and long sleeves. Priced **\$9.00**.

These merely serve to illustrate the great variety of fascinating blouse models that are being offered at most attractive prices.

Just Received From New York, a Large Collection of
Smart Tailleur and Dressy Suits,
\$35, \$39.50 and up to \$69

You will find extremely clever styles and unusual qualities at these very interesting prices.

**Mississippi Valley Trust Company**

Financial, Trust, Bond, Real Estate, Safe Deposit and
Savings Departments

Capital, Surplus and Profits Over \$8,000,000

Savings deposited on or before
Monday, Oct. 5, draw interest
from October 1.
Interest payable December and
June.
Open Mndays, 5 to 7:30 p. m.

**Twenty-Four Years
in Business
Oct. 3,
1914**

FOURTH & PINE STS.

Sonnenfeld's
L. ACKERMAN, Manager

610-612
Washington Av.

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Friday, we inaugurate an extremely important
sale of recently acquired new

Women's and Misses' Fall Suits

1300 of them in all—secured at sharp price concessions from several very high-class Eastern makers. Friday you can save from one-third to one-half your Suit money—these new arrivals have been assembled in two lots and added to our already complete lines

\$15
AT

A total of 600 splendid Autumn Suits are provided at this price—values impossible to duplicate under \$25. A full and varied range of the most select Autumn styles and a broad assortment of excellent and serviceable fabrics. Basque, Redingote, tailored, semi-tailored, full draped and other authentic fashion ideas, following the style lines as decreed by the foremost Parisian designers. Tailoring and linings throughout are excellent, and a most casual comparison will prove the absolute supremacy of the values from every essential standpoint.



\$19.14
AT

To our regular unmatched collection at this price have been added 700 of these new arrivals—affording you unlimited variety for choosing. Every style shown—and there are more than fifty different ones in all—is a careful copy of a high priced imported model. The materials include rich broadcloths, poplins, gaberdines, chevrons and diagonals in beautiful Autumn shades of navy, new blue, brown, green, plum and black, with pretty trimmings of fur, velvet, satin, etc.

These Suits are just as desirable as any you've seen priced at \$25, \$30 and \$35—just as stylish, exclusive and serviceable.

Serge Dresses

\$15 and \$19.75



An authoritative display of more than thirty different styles of navy and black serge and serge-satin combinations. The values at each price will be recognized as extraordinary when you inspect the high character of workmanship incorporated in each dress—when you view the style distinction and individuality of the fashions. A complete range of both regular and extra sizes is provided.

Genuine Ural Lamb Coats

Exceptional values in charming Fall and Winter Coats of genuine ural lamb, also a large number of Coats of black plush, zibeline and broadcloth, lined throughout with two-year guaranteed satin. Both full length and the popular 45-inch models are included. **\$15**

**Large Black
Hats**

Also plenty of navy and brown—made of excellent quality erect pile velvet—regularly priced at \$2.98—Friday only **\$1.95**

"Flossie Allen"

This smart new style was first shown in St. Louis at Sonnenfeld's, and our present assortment includes black, navy, brown and myrtle "Flossie Allens," trimmed with gros grain tailored bow, and priced at

\$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$4.98



BLACK ERECT PILE VELVET TURBANS, TRICORNES, DRAPED and BASQUE SHAPES—15 different models in all—on special sale Friday in two lots, at

95c and \$1.48

**Special Reductions on
Fine Ostrich Plumes**

Ostrich trimming is regaining its former popularity, as is evinced by the way ostrich is featured on the new models from the East. Friday we offer a large assortment of finest African male stock Plumes, black and white only, all with broad heads, at a general discount of 25 per cent. For example—

**\$1.98 Plumes are \$1.48 \$5.00 Plumes are \$3.75
\$2.98 Plumes are \$2.25 \$7.98 Plumes are \$5.98
\$3.98 Plumes are \$2.95 \$10.00 Plumes are \$7.50**

**Velvet and Silk
Combination
Dresses**

\$19.75 to \$35

An assemblage of very latest style ideas, featuring in particular the Basque and new Bolero models and their variations. There are velvet dresses combined with silk, with satin, with crepe de chine, etc.—all of extreme elegance and style exclusiveness.

Before purchasing a dress of this general character, be sure to view these splendid assortments.

**College Coats at \$10**

A wonderfully complete variety of these highly desirable Coats, made up of WHITE and STUNNING NOVELTY MIXTURES, PLAIDS, ETC.—plain styles, belted military effects, Directoire, double tunic and other modes—all fully represented in this assortment at **\$10**

**Genuine
Leather Bags**

A wonderful sale. Friday of genuine Leather Bags of Morocco, pin lamb, seal goat and other equally desirable leathers. Every bag silk lined, and in full variety of this season's most desired novelty shapes. Six of the exact styles are shown. They are all fitted, some with as many as five pieces, while others have purse and mirror only. A number of the new "Panhard" handles are shown, and every bag is a copy of a higher-priced one, selling from \$5 to \$10.

This special collection also includes several hundred Party Cases of all-leather, fitted with five pieces.

**An Extraordinary Sale of
\$3 50 Trimmed Hats, \$2**

Just 75 BLACK AND COLORED TRIMMED AND READY-TO-WEAR HATS will be sold Friday at this sharp saving. All brand new—made in our own workrooms and featuring all the proper models for the season, with trimmings of stylish fancies, velvet poppies, velvet bows, etc. Until 75 are disposed of, you can take your choice at.....

BLACK AND COLORED FELT CRUSHERS—just the thing for outing, and particularly suitable for misses—worth fully 75c—special, Friday 25c

Two large tables of FANCY AND OSTRICH STICK-UPS—extra values 25c and 50c—Friday at.....



Woman's Equity in Home Sold for \$50.
Mrs. Martha L. Russell's equity in her home at 2566 Washington boulevard was sold yesterday by the Sheriff to satisfy a judgment obtained against her by the W. J. Burns Detective Agency. It was brought by Charles H. Kelly for

\$50. The detective agency alleged it had performed a secret service for Mrs. Russell for which she had refused to pay.

Jacqueline Adler at Melchior's, 4th & Washington, beginning Monday.

Art Students to Give Play.
The Art Students' Association of the St. Louis School of Fine Arts will meet tomorrow to consider presenting a play to raise money for their yearly scholarship fund.

PROGRESSIVE VOTE IN NEW YORK FELL OFF 92 PER CENT

Only 31,000 Ballots Cast for
Bull Moose Candidates in
Monday's State Primary.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Virtually complete returns, only a few country precincts being missing, show the entire vote cast by the Progressive party candidates at Monday's primary was approximately 31,000, as against 333,182 in 1912, a falling off of about 92 per cent. A comparative gain over the election of two years ago shown by the Republicans indicates a large return of Bull Moose voters to the parent party.

The total Democratic vote is estimated at 250,000, nearly 80 per cent of the vote cast in the last State election, 649,559.

The return of the Progressives to the Republican party swelled its total primary vote to almost 50 per cent of that cast in the last election. In 1912 there were 44,105 ballots cast and Monday's count was about 25,000.

The latest returns corroborate the early estimates of the results. Gov. Glynn's majority over John A. Hennessey will probably reach 125,000, and Whitman will have a plurality of about 65,000 over Job Hedges and Frederick M. Davenport. James W. Wadsworth beat William M. Calder by 5500 for the Republican nomination for the United States Senate, and Ambassador James W. Gerard won the Democratic nomination over Franklin D. Roosevelt by 75,000.

The only race in which the machine candidate was seriously threatened was for the Progressive nomination for the Governorship. Against Roosevelt's urging the Bull Mooseers clung to Sulzer, the impeached Governor, and nearly nominated him. Frederick M. Davenport, candidate of the Roosevelt machine, beating him out only 3000.

TWO MEN PINNED UNDER AUTO ON COUNTY ROAD

Delivery Car Is Overturned in
Avoiding Collision—One Occupant Injured Internally.

Edwin Bright, 21 years old, son of J. N. Bright, manager of the Imperial Laundry, 4701 Delmar boulevard, and Harry McCully, an employee of the laundry, were pinned under an automobile delivery wagon in which they were riding yesterday when it overturned in a ditch on the Denny road, in avoiding a collision with another machine.

They were released after a few minutes. Bright suffered internal injuries and a deep cut on his face. McCully was bruised.

Bright said the accident was caused by a driver of an automobile leaving Sunset Inn, near which the accident happened, turning to the left instead of right. This machine, which was occupied by two young men, did not stop.

OFFICIALS EXONERATED IN CHICAGO MANN ACT CASE

Judge Landis Finds They Did
Not Conspire to Bring Charge
Against Rich Lumberman.

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Judge Landis today absolved all Government officials from blame in the charge that they were influenced to secure the indictment of William Rufus Edwards, a wealthy St. Paul lumberman, under the Mann act. Edwards was sued for breach of promise to marry by Miss Ada M. Cox of Rockford and was indicted while the case was still pending. The woman was given a verdict of \$17,500.

Friends of Edwards investigated his conduct upon the ground that he had taken Miss Cox from Illinois to Minnesota, secured affidavits from three persons that Miss Cox had admitted that she conspired with Government officials to bring about Edwards' indictment.

Judge Landis finds that these affidavits were falsehoods and recommends that the grand jury take cognizance of them.

One Minute Toothache Stick
Stops toothache quick. All druggists, etc.

BANKRUPTCY PETITION IS FILED AGAINST BREWERY

Creditors Say Mutual Owes
Them \$2876—Company in Good
Condition, Says Manager.

An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday in the United States District Court against the Mutual Brewery, which was opened a year ago by several hundred stockholders, nearly all of whom are saloonkeepers. The petitioning creditors say the brewery is indebted to them to the amount of \$2876.

The petition was filed by the Illinois Glass Co., with a claim of \$2700 for bottles and glassware; the Bettel-Leftlich Tire Co., with a claim of \$120; the Neustadt Automobile Supply Co., with a claim of \$542; and the Manhattan Electric Co., with a claim for \$338. J. M. Lashly, attorney for the creditors, said they had been unable to agree on a settlement of the claims and that the creditors had refused to accept two-year notes secured by second mortgages on property owned by the brewery in liquidation of the debts.

P. H. Nolan, general manager of the brewery, said the company was in good condition and he could see no reason for bankruptcy proceedings.

JAMES: Don't wait for a raise of salary; buy the diamond engagement ring on credit at Lott's Bros., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st.

Glendy B. Arnold Resigns Office.
Glendy B. Arnold resigned today as an Assistant Circuit Attorney to devote his time to his campaign for election to the Circuit bench. He is one of the Democratic nominees for Circuit Judge and had been in the Circuit Attorney's office since Jan. 1.

Garland's

Special Suit Sale—Beginning Friday

\$25.00, \$27.50 & \$29.50 Suits for \$19.95

400 more of those high class Suits received by express today. Suits intended to sell up to \$29.50. They go in tomorrow's sale at the uniform price of

\$19.95

Rich, Dressy
Broadcloth Suits
With broadtail trimming—others with plush and velvet trimmings.

Other popular fabrics, such as wool poplins, men's-wear serges, gabardines and Lymanville chevrons. The styles are New York's cleverest adaptation of Paris models and over 40 styles to select from. Some have the new "Shrapnel" buttons and military braid, others with color touches at collar and cuffs.

Colors include Legion gray and Tete de Negre, the new colors, with plenty of greens, blacks and blue. A truly good array of styles and values; all sizes to 55 in the lot; Friday at \$19.95.



\$19.95 \$19.95 \$19.95 \$19.95

Suits Worth to \$16.50 for \$10.00

Blue, black, brown and green are the colors. Styles include the short braid-bound model to long Redingote, trimmed with velvet, silk braid and fancy buttons. Serges, chevrons and a few broadcloths and wales in materials. All sizes from junior to 44 in the group. Friday at \$10.00.

Sale of Cape Coats

At \$8.98

Made of clipped zibeline, suede cloth and the new warmth-without-weight sponge cloth in navy and black; other Coats at the same price in chinchilla, wales and boucles, Balmacaans, English box, etc.; over 15 styles at \$8.98.

The New Golf Capes

In rich plaids and checks, some with detached vest. Priced
\$12.75, \$19.95 and to \$39.50

In the Bargain Annex (Second Floor)

\$2.50 Messaline and Taffeta Silk
Petticoats, in all colors, special at \$1.39
\$7.50 to \$9.75 Skirts; serges, chud-da and silk, in gray, brown, blue and black; special at \$3.98

THOMAS W. GARLAND 409-11-13 Broadway



SCHMITZ & SHRODER

Boys' 25c
Neckwear
15c

Friday Bargains

Boys' 10c Collars
2 for 5c

GIRLS' 4 COATS

BOYS' 3 SUITS

Newest Fall Models—
Special Tomorrow at

\$1.90

Balkan Norfolk Coats—
With Full Cut Knickers

\$1.90

Girls' Rain Capes

MADE of blue sateen with rubberized back—plaid lined hood—guaranteed rainproof—ages 3 to 14—regular \$2.00—actual \$1.29—special, at \$1.29

Girls' Dresses

THE season's newest styles in Girls' Dresses—made of ging-ham, percales and gal-asias—fancy trimmed—six distinct models—ages 4 to 14—\$1.00 value—special, at 79c

Boys' 35c Blouses

Since 8-12
10c

Boys' Raincoats

With Hat to Match—
\$4.00 Outfit for \$2.10

GOOD quality double texture hom-basine cloth—cut full and long—and guaranteed rainproof—regulation rain hat to match coat—ages 6 to 16—an actual \$4 outfit for \$2.10.

Boys' Knickers

MADE of wool casimeres, che-v-rot and plain blue (will serve full peg shape and made with watch pockets and belt loops—ages 6 to 16—regular \$1.00—special at 45c

Boys' Golf Caps

FULL shaped Golf Caps—in fancy assorted casimeres—neat and dressy—best value ever offered in Boys' School Caps—special at 25c

Boys' 50c Knickers

Since 8 and 6
20c

"If you see it in a Schmitz & Shroder ad—it's TRUE."

SCHMITZ & SHRODER

S. E. Cor. Eighth and Washington Av.

Tailor Beaten on Land, Robbed.
Max Remel, a tailor of 230 Cass avenue, was passing an alley on Garrison avenue, between Cass and Sheridan

avenues, at 8 o'clock last night when three men stopped him. One struck him on the head with a revolver and the others took \$12 from his pockets.

War Booms Carriage Building.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 1.—That the European war is responsible for an increase in prosperity in the carriage

building trade of this country was claimed by delegates to the National Carriage Builders' Association in conference here yesterday.

Kline's

509 Washington Ave., Near Broadway

THIS \$10 COAT SALE

Is a Real Economy Opportunity—Don't Miss It!

JUST picture to yourself a collection of almost 800 coats, including every new model, made up of all the desired materials in every wanted shade; splendid-looking, full silk-lined, half-lined and unlined garments—every size for women, misses and juniors, and then consider that every coat in the lot is a good value at \$15, \$17.50 or \$20, and you will then understand what it means to you to have the opportunity of buying any coat for \$10.



\$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00 \$10.00

FRIDAY is just as good a day to buy that Fall and Winter Coat as any other day—in fact, it is a better one, because you have the opportunity of making your selection from a special purchase of more than 800 coats from three of the leading manufacturers of New York, and every garment is offered from one-third to one-half less than its regular price.

THERE are splendid coats of novelty weaves, plaids, small checks, chinchilla, Curlytex, mannish worsteds, zibelins, plushes and chiffon broadcloths, as well as other high-grade materials. The broadcloth coats are full length and full silk lined throughout. There is such a variety of styles that almost every coat wanted can be supplied—splendid youthful half and full belted models, side pleated and box pleated styles, smart cape coats, Balmacaans and straight line effects. No end of excellent modes—a number of which are here illustrated, and every size for women, misses and juniors. All on sale Friday at one price—choice.

Smart Fall Suits, \$19.75

A SLEND collection of high-grade Fall Suits, embracing every recent style idea—excellent Redingote and other long coat styles, as well as the jaunty short coat models—made up of broadcloths, chevrons, gabardines, serges and other desired materials—in black and every one of the wanted shades—all sizes for women and misses. Supreme values at the price.

\$19.75

Russian Pony Coat

38 inches long, of the newest cut, with square collar and cuffs, sleeves lined with plain guaranteed silks; a splendid \$30 value, on special sale at \$19.75

Millinery Specials

Silk Velvet Sailors, \$1.25
BLACK Velvet Sailors, with soft crowns, require but very little trimming; regular price \$2.50, Fri. \$1.25
Trimmed Hat Bargain, \$1.50
CHOOSE Friday from 150 Trimmed Hats; black and most every color in the lot; turbans, tricornes and sailors; trimmed with fancy ribbons, fancy feathers and flowers; regular prices up to \$5; Friday \$1.50



Special in New Dresses, \$8.50

A N exceptional dress opportunity, comprising the most desired styles in beautiful Silk Basque Dresses, also clever models in satin crepe—the most charming dress fashions of the day, especially purchased by our Eastern representative and just arrived in time for Friday's sale. They are the biggest Dress values that we have been able to offer for the Fall season—choice without reserve at \$8.50

\$8.50

A Waist Event



5 of the Many Styles Priced 79c.
A TYPICAL Kline event, with the biggest sort of values for Friday selling. Splendid blouses of voile, batiste, crossbars, all-over effects, fancy crepes, stripes, etc.—with all the new collar and sleeve ideas, some embroidered and others with lace trimming—a number have embroidered pique roll collars, others trimmed with tucks and flat lace—a number have military collars. About twenty-five styles in all—long and three-quarter sleeves. Every waist is an exceptional bargain at this special sale price—choice. 79c

RADIANT HOME BASE BURNERS

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HARD COAL HEATERS

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Friday Sale of NEWEST SUITS, COATS & DRESSES at Bargain Prices

Our tomorrow's extraordinary sale of Women's and Misses' stylish and becoming outer apparel will be welcomed by our patrons, and will undoubtedly attract hosts of new ones.



Velvet Trimmed Broadcloth Suits
A very special price for such handsome models. Suits that have that cut-to-your-measure appearance. They come in the pictured style; the coat is bloused, and belted with the new long "skirt" made full by pleats in the back; the Suit Skirt has the becoming yoke. These may be had in navy, black, brown and green. **\$14.95**

These Dresses Are Charming
The choicest Autumn styles, in satin, crepe de chine, poplin and smart serges, in the basque and other latest effects, some showing vestees, and all with the flaring tunics and long sleeves. Colors include navy, black, green and brown. **\$9.95**

College Coats
THE NEWEST FALL CRAZE
Newest models in cross-bar chevrons, Scotch plaids and tweeds, in patch pocket and belted effect. \$12.95 values. Special to-morrow at **\$9.95**

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PRESIDENT BEGINS LETTER CAMPAIGN TO AID CANDIDATES

First Written Indorsement to
Senators Shively, Indiana and
Chamberlain, Oregon.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1. — President Wilson today opened his letter-writing campaign for the election of Democratic Senators and Representatives. He wrote letters indorsing Senator Shively of Indiana and Senator Chamberlain of Oregon. Others will be written in the near future.

To a request by Senator Pomeroy that he speak in Ohio, President Wilson today reiterated his determination not to go on the stump. He told the Senator he felt he must remain active in Washington.

In his letter to Senator Owen, indorsing Senator Chamberlain, the President declared that "the maintenance of the Democratic majority of the Senate is of the utmost importance to the country if the present policies and program of the Government are to be sustained, and continued: 'I take it for granted that voters everywhere will feel the force of that motive.'"

The letter indorsing Senator Shively was addressed to Majority Leader Kern of the Senate, and was as follows: "I am genuinely surprised that any question should have arisen as to whether I want Senator Shively returned. I do, most decidedly, wish it. I have admired Senator Shively's steadfast devotion to duty and to the standards of the party and his unflinching loyalty in all matters of public policy as all his party associates have, and I learned to have, very warm personal feeling and admiration for him."

"It would, in my judgment, be a very great loss to the party and to the Senate if he should not be re-elected. I trust that there is no doubt of his re-election. May I not add a word of cordial appreciation of the whole Indiana delegation in Congress? The members of the House have stood by the administration with unfailing generosity and spirit and have made me feel a very deep interest in the political fortunes of every one of them. I need not tell you, my dear Senator, what my sentiments are towards yourself."

Democrats in Congress were elated over prospects of receiving the support of the administration for re-election in November. Not only will the Democratic nominees have the support of President Wilson, but also that of his Cabinet.

Among those who the President will write letters in support of are Representative Connolly and Palmer for the senatorships from Iowa and Pennsylvania, respectively; Senator Thomas of Colorado and Glynn and Gerard in New York.

Cabinet members who are ordered to speak in the campaign include Secretaries Bryan, Daniels, Garrison, Wilson, Houston, Redfield, Lane and Postmaster-General Burleson.

Administration leaders continued today the work of planning an active campaign for the election of another Democratic Senator and House this fall. This work had been delayed pending completion of plans for adjournment of Congress this month.

Secretary Daniels will begin campaign speaking in Connecticut and New Hampshire and will speak in such other states as the Congressional Campaign Committee may designate. His first speech will be delivered during the week of Oct. 12, but the place has not been selected.

Secretary Bryan announced today that he would talk during the campaign, not only in Ohio but also in Indiana, Iowa and Nebraska. He said he had not considered speaking in Illinois, but that he probably would speak in accordance with the wishes of the Democratic Congressional Committee.

BARNES RETIRES TODAY AS COMMITTEE LEADER

Indications Are New York Up-State Republicans Will Name
State Organization Chief.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The formal retirement of William Barnes as chairman of the Republican State Committee marked the organization meeting here today of the new State committee.

Two hours before the meeting the only candidate for the office was Ogden L. Mills, but indications were he would be defeated by up-State Republicans, who think the chairman should not be a resident of New York City. If an agreement should not be reached District Attorney Whitman, Republican nominee for Governor, probably will be asked to name someone.

GETS NEW HAVEN BOOKS

Special Grand Jury to Examine
Records Several Days.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The special Federal grand jury investigating, at President Wilson's suggestion, the management of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to ascertain if criminal laws were violated by those in authority, obtained possession today of the road's minute books and other documents from Assistant Secretary Hempstead of the railroad company. It is understood they will be held for several days for consideration by the grand jury.

Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven, expected to continue his testimony this afternoon.

Falls 60 Feet at Chain of Rocks.
Frank Lavelle, a laborer of 1128 Tamm, avenue, fell 60 feet yesterday while at work on a building at the Chain of Rocks and received a fracture of the skull and right collar bone. He is at the city hospital.

Thief Gets \$50 in Jewelry.
The residence of Mrs. Flora Pines at 412 North Twenty-second street was ransacked in her absence yesterday and jewelry valued at \$50 was stolen.

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We are celebrating our fifth Fall Opening by giving the public extraordinary values in every department. Our entire four floors are now ready with St. Louis' largest stocks of new Fall clothing offered at enormous cash savings.

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Men's All-Wool Blue Suits, \$5.00

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 1
New Fall strictly all-wool, heavy weight Blue Serge Suits—finely tailored throughout—perfect fitting—coats lined with splendid quality serge—all sizes up to 46 chest—(only one suit to a customer).
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Men's All-Wool Blue Pants, \$1.95

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 2
Splendid heavy weight new Fall Pants—made of strictly fast color all-wool blue serge—plain or semi-peg style—cuff or straight bottoms carefully tailored throughout—all sizes—(only one pair to a customer).
Souvenir special, Friday at.....

Men's Guaranteed Raincoats, \$1.90

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 3
New Fall Raincoats—made of heavy double texture tan raincoat—guaranteed absolutely rain-proof—full length models—a complete range of sizes for men and young men—(only one garment to a customer).
Souvenir special, Friday at.....

Men's and Young Fall Overcoats, \$5.00

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 4
Dressy 3/4-length styles—handsomely tailored—made of all-wool materials—pure satin sleeve lining and all-wool serge body lining—newest colors—all sizes for men and young men—(only one coat to a customer).
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Souvenir Special No. 9
Corduroy, Worsted and Scotch
MEN'S PANTS

Neat perfect-fitting Pants, made of heavy Scotch and worsteds—strongly sewed—all sizes for men and young men—also serviceable Corduroy Pants—(only one pair to a customer).
Souvenir special, Friday at..... **\$1.00**

Boys' Bloomer Pants, 15c

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 5
Sizes 4, 5, 6 and 7—browns, grays and tans, in dark and medium shades—made of strong cassimeres and Scotch—every seam reinforced—(not more than 3 pairs to a customer).
Souvenir special, Friday at.....

Boys' New Fall Norfolk Suits, \$1.65

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 6
Newest Fall colors and patterns—made of heavy-weight cassimeres, Scotch and chevrons—Norfolk styles, some are patch pocket models—sizes 6 to 17—serviceable garments for Fall and Winter—(only one suit to a customer).
Souvenir special, Friday at.....

Boys' All-Wool Blue Suits, \$2.70

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 7
Handsome new Fall Norfolk models—some are patch-pocket styles—made of Fall weight all-wool blue serge—pants cut full peg—lined throughout—watch pocket and belt straps—all sizes—(only one suit to a customer).
Souvenir special, Friday at.....

Boys' Knicker Pants, 29c

SOUVENIR SPECIAL No. 8
Full cut Knicker Pants—sizes 6 to 17—every pair strongly sewed and reinforced throughout—made of fine wearing materials—best dark and medium colors—(only one pair to a customer).
Souvenir special, Friday at.....

Souvenir Special No. 10
Juvenile All-Wool Reefer
TOPCOATS

Fine materials—in reds, tans, grays and other new Fall colorings—have silk emblems on sleeve—sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years—(only one coat to a customer).
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- Our new fall styles are now on display in all departments and comprise the best productions of the leading manufacturers of Europe and America. It will pay you to make us a visit.
- We are offering certain lines in each department at special prices for this week, of which the following are typical examples:

CURTAINS

Portieres—Armure and Tapestry sun colorings.
Special price, **\$5 to \$8.50**
Double-faced Velour and Veronica velvets. Special price, **\$17.50 and \$19.50**
French Lace Curtains—Filet, Arabian and combination laces. Special price, **\$12.50 to \$35**
Sun Rooms—Handsome German printed linens. Special price, per yd., **\$1.50 and \$1.75**

RUGS

Seamless Brussels Rugs, 9x12 ft. Special price, **\$15**
Axminster Rugs, 8 ft. 3 in x 10 ft. 6 in. Special price, **\$16.75**
Velvet Rugs, 9x12 ft. Special price, **\$25**

ORIENTAL RUGS

One lot Hamadan Rugs, average size 2 ft. 3 in. x 3 ft., **\$7.75**
One lot fine, silky Beluchistan Rugs, average size 3 ft. x 5 ft. 6 in., **\$14.25**
One lot choice Kurdistani Rugs, average size 3 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft., **\$19.75**

CARPETS

Brussels Carpet. Special price, **57 1/2c yd.**
Axminster Carpet. Special price, **57 1/2c yd.**
Velvet Carpet. Special price, **51 1/2c yd.**

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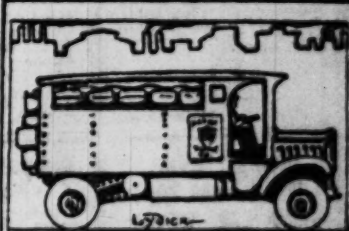
12 styles fireside and easy Chairs, for living room, covered in denim. Special price, **\$25**
Solid Mahogany Dining-room Suite, consisting of Sideboard, Server, Extension Table—five side chairs, one armchair. Special price, **\$300**
Cowan Sewing Table, **\$15**
Cowan Tea Wagon, **\$20**
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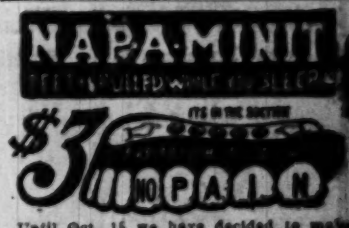
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FRIDAY IS "100 SPECIAL DAY"

THESE FRIDAY SPECIALS are a never-failing source of family economies. Listed among the offerings are always numerous items for the home, as well as for personal wear. Prices named on "100 SPECIALS" are only for the one day's selling & after closing time all items revert to their original price. Because of the extraordinary nature of the values, no mail or telephone orders are filled & the right to restrict quantities is reserved, in order to prevent dealers from buying.

Filled Flower Baskets, 97c

Baskets of artificial flowers, consisting of yellow jonquils, clematis, American Beauty roses & velvet poppies, combined with ferns, all true to life & will retain their beauty indefinitely, special, 97c.



A Sale of Untrimmed Hats at \$1.55

As a result of a fortunate purchase we offer for Friday a lot of 600 beautiful, fetching new Fall Hat Shapes, made of erect pile silk velvet with French edge. These are in the best shapes—large, small or medium effects, as shown in illustration. There are black & the leading Fall shades, & hats are same grade as would be priced \$3.95 only for very slight imperfections that are scarcely noticeable. Friday they are offered for hurried taking at, your choice (no mail or phone orders filled) **\$1.55**

Ask about the FREE TRIMMING SERVICE in this section. Basement Gallery

Girls' Wash Dresses, 45c

Three Styles as Illustrated

A wonder lot of Girls' School Dresses is this offered for Friday.

The garments are well made of percale & linens in serviceable Fall colorings, being in plaid, checked, striped & solid colors & trimmed with braid, piping & buttons. All are made high necks & long sleeves—sizes 6 to 14—at much under worth Friday. **45c**



98c to \$16.50 Slipper Buckles at Half

An opportune occasion & a very helpful sale, bringing as it does handsome imported Slipper Buckles just at a season when they are so much in vogue.

We secured this lot from an importer at half off regular price, which includes dozens of different styles, of aluminum or black enamel studded with rhinestones, Oriental metal effects, cut jet, crocheted jet effects, gunmetal & cut steel Slipper Buckles of all sizes & patterns.

Buckles are all marked at regular selling price, but tomorrow just one-half will be subtracted, for instance:

98c Buckles...49c \$1.75 Buckles...88c
\$2.25 Buckles...1.13 \$5.00 Buckles...2.50
\$7.50 Buckles...3.75 \$16.50 Buckles...8.25

Hand-Made Lace Curtains, 1/2 to 1/3 Less

A wonderful chance it is, offering Cluny, cycle embroidered, Arabian, antique, Art Fllet, French novelty, Irish Point, Marie Antoinette, Duchesse & Renaissance Curtains on French Cable Net, Grenadine, Marquise or Bobinet at 1/2 to 1/3 less than regular prices. All colors there are, & 1 to 12 pairs of a kind. These Prices:

\$42.50 to \$65.00 values—pair...\$22.50
\$25.00 to \$39.00 values—pair...\$16.50
\$17.50 to \$22.50 values—pair...\$13.50
\$12.50 to \$15.00 values—pair...\$10.50
\$11.50 to \$13.50 values—pair...\$ 8.50

Men's & Young Men's Suits

at **\$14.50**

These are suits impossible to produce at this price except under such favorable conditions as this store enjoys in being a member of the organization that is the LARGEST RETAILERS OF CLOTHING AT RETAIL IN AMERICA. The advantages that come through vast selling outlet & buying power are given to men in the EXCESS VALUE of these Suits.

Models are designed for our approval by fashion artists—many are shown here exclusively. Tailoring measure to the high standard exacted of all Famous-Barr clothes. Materials we have personally chosen & we have been particular to get the patterns that will please men most.



Women's & Misses' \$7.50 & \$10 Suits, \$5

We have gathered for dispersal tomorrow, 156 stylish models—odd lots & broken sizes—to go at substantial discounts.

The garments are tailored in a splendid manner from serge, worsteds, fancy mixtures & novelty stripe materials. Jackets are lined with silk & skirts are made in newest effects, being trimmed to match coats.

There is a full range of colors in the lot, with plenty of black & navy blue, sizes range from 14 to 44, selling Friday while the lot lasts, choice at **\$5**

Boys' \$5 Norfolk Corduroy Suits at \$3.87

Ideal general service, hunting or hiking Suits. In practical dark tan color, new model coat with stitched-on belt, full peg-top knickers, with watch pockets & belt loops—sizes there are from 8 to 17 years, regular \$5 value, special Friday, **\$3.87**.

Girl's \$5 Coats, \$3.25 Several styles of heavy coat, in brown, navy & green, with self or plush collar & cuffs—wide belt & pockets—size 8 to 14. \$3.25 Third Floor	\$3.00 Fall Corsets, 1.95 Made of fancy shaded or striped & plain cotton, with elastic gussets inserted over the hips—supporters—size 8 to 14. \$1.95 Third Floor
Girl's \$2.95 Serge Blouses, \$1.85 Navy blue & black serge Blouses—sleeves 6 to 10, long sleeves—finished with red trim—Friday. \$1.85 Third Floor	\$1.50 P. N. Corsets, 95c Of batiste & coutil—medium & low bust style—embroidery trimmed, rust proof—4 or 6 support—size 18 to 30—Friday. 95c Third Floor
\$1 & \$1.25 Wrappers, 69c Women's Flannel—sleeve Wrappers—Men's & women's made—all sizes—Friday. 69c Third Floor	21c Taffeta Ribbons, 15c All-silk Taffeta Ribbons—5/8 inch wide—in white, light blue, pink, Copenhagen, cardinal, navy—yard. 15c Main Floor, Aisle 3
\$2.50 Bath Robes, \$1.85 Women's Terry Cloth Bath Robes—with heavy cord & tassels—narrow stripes. \$1.85 Third Floor	25c & 35c Vellings, 17c New quality heavy line & fancy effects in black, white, light blue & navy—regular size & 1/2—Friday. 17c Main Floor, Aisle 3
Women's \$1.25 Kimonos, 85c Women's Flannel—sleeve Kimonos—men's or French backs—Friday. 85c Third Floor	Women's Lace Boots, \$2.45 Women's English Lace Boots—gunmetal or tan Russia calf—11 1/2 sizes—low flange heels—Friday. \$2.45 Second Floor
\$1.25 & \$1.50 Princess Slips, 89c Women's Nainsook Princess Slips—trimmed & medallion backed—Friday. 89c Third Floor	Women's \$2 House Shoes, \$1.40 Women's good quality French-made House Shoes—hand sewed, patent uppers—size 6 to 12—Friday. \$1.40 Basement Salesroom
Children's Coats \$2.35 Children's Packer Coat—box style—Eton collar & cuffs—velvet—patent leather belt & novelty buttons—cardinal or navy—size 6 to 12—Friday. \$2.35 Third Floor	Men's \$3.50 Shoes, \$2.85 Gunmetal calf or viol kid—Cushion-sole Shoes—dressy, last blucher style—all sizes—\$3.50 value—Friday. \$2.85 Second Floor
Children's \$3 Hats, \$1.50 Children's plush, velvet & corduroy hats & Bonnets—trimming of Persian bands, flowers & bows—black & colors—Friday. \$1.50 Third Floor	Men's 50c Shirts, 30c Men's coat-style Percale Shirts—wide range of patterns—away from perfect fitting—14 to 17 1/2—Friday. 30c Main Floor, Aisle 10
75c & \$1 Rompers & Creepers, 50c White Rompers & Creepers—made of checked dimity—slightly soiled from use—1 to 4 years—Friday. 50c Third Floor	Men's \$1.00 Pajamas, 79c Heavy flannel—plush—made of checked dimity—slightly soiled from use—1 to 4 years—Friday. 79c Main Floor, Aisle 10
Women's \$1 Silk Hose, 59c Black & colors—full fashioned—reinforced heels, toes & soles—slight wear—Friday. 59c Main Floor, Aisle 6	50c Bracelets for 25c Gold-filled popular friendship Bracelets, 50c value; Friday, special at 25c Main Floor, Aisle 5
Men's 50c Fall Underwear, 33c Eton color Fall weight shirt, with faced front & collar—knit back & drawers faced & strap back—Friday. 33c Main Floor	50c to \$1.00 Hair Pins, 25c Stone-set Shell Hairpins, Back Combs, etc.—50c, 75c & \$1 values—Friday, each. 25c Main Floor, Aisle 5
Men's "Ever-wear" Hose 24s Black & colors—Fiber Silk Socks—regular price, three pairs 75c—Friday, 3 for 40c. 3 for 40c Main Floor, Aisle 5	Baby Flouncings at 30c Dainty embroidered Swiss Flouncings in a great variety of new patterns—away from their actual worth—Friday. 30c Main Floor, Aisle 4
Women's 50c Underwear, 33c For Fall wear, extra & regular sizes—extra & regular styles—natural wood—plain and fancy—carved—Mission handles—Friday. 33c Main Floor	Umbrellas at 88c Men's & Women's Umbrellas, made with best rubber of American manufacture—fitted with silk cases—natural wood—plain and fancy—carved—Mission handles—Friday. 88c Main Floor, Aisle 4
Boys' \$2.00 Indian Suits, \$1.22 Tan blouse & knicker—on sleeves & pants—feather headgear—belt—size 4 to 12—Friday. \$1.22 Second Floor	Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, 11c Exceptional quality linen, full size, 4-in. hem—Friday, 6 for 65c—each. 11c Main Floor, Aisle 5
Boys' Knickers for 60c Odd lot of boys' knickers—made of cotton—quality—up to 12 years—Friday. 65c Second Floor	Embroid. Sample Strips, 74c Swiss & cambric Embroideries—be a beautiful pattern—up to 12 inches wide—a great lot at. 74c Main Floor, Aisle 4
K. & E. Rompers, 43c Full weight flannel, chambray & galles, in checks, stripes & colors—size 2 to 4 years—Friday. 43c Second Floor	Laces at 25c White & cream Swiss & Oriental Net Alvers—double-width—Lace Nets & 27-inch Shadow Lace Flouncings—Friday. 25c Main Floor, Aisle 4
\$1.25 Satin Girdles, 65c Roman striped Girdles—heavy & light, neatly lined, bow & buckle effects—Friday. 65c Main Floor, Aisle 2	\$5 & \$6 Serge Dresses, \$3.75 Women's & misses black & navy Serge Dresses—open front, low neck, long sleeves—black & navy—trimmed—Friday. \$3.75 Main Floor, Aisle 2

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\$1.50 Velveteen for \$1.15 Silk finished Costume Velveteen, in black & the new colors—27 inches wide & 36 inches long—Friday. \$1.15 Main Floor, Aisle 1	3 for \$1.00 Unrestricted select of any of the popular hits—listed at 75c Friday. 3 for \$1 Sixth Floor
\$1.00 Black Messaline, 75c All-silk 35-inch black satin faced staple 36 x 36—Friday special, 75c. 75c Main Floor, Aisle 1	Pictures at \$1.00 Religious, landscape & sepia Picturals framed in walnut gilt & antique—Fri. \$1 Fifth Floor
\$1.25 Navy Blue Serge, 95c All-wool double warp 54-inch man's Serge—Friday special, 95c. 95c Main Floor, Aisle 1	\$3.25 Arm Rockers, \$1.95 Wood rockers in golden oak, fumed oak or imitation mahogany finish. \$1.95 Fourth Floor
\$2.50 44-Inch Satin, \$1.69 Very fine soft lustrous Dress Satin, in black & the new colors—Friday special, 1.69. \$1.69 Main Floor, Aisle 1	Tapestry Arm Chairs, \$11.75 Tapestry covered Arm Chairs or Rockers, \$16.50 value, Friday. \$11.75 Fourth Floor
49c Farmers' Satin, 38c Staple 31-inch fast color Farmer's Satin Lining, in black & colors—Friday special, 38c. 38c Main Floor, Aisle 1	Sewing Machines for \$13.75 Sewing Machines—drophead, drop foot—guaranteed for 15 years—sold on our popular club plan. \$13.75 Fifth Floor
20c Barnsley Crash, 14c All-linen extra good quality red borders—positively worth 20c—Friday, yard. 14c Fifth Floor	Dress Forms for \$10.98 Hall-Borchert Dress Forms—adjustable in any shape or size—our popular club plan. \$10.98 Fifth Floor
25c Huck Towels, 19c 20x35-inch size—mostly all white—some have initial space—none worth less than 25c—each. 19c Fifth Floor	\$2 Sugar & Cream Sets, \$1.15 Whirling star design cut glass Sugar & Cream Sets, Friday. \$1.15 Basement Salesroom
Tablecloths for \$1.05 Dublin mercerized, for 6-chair tables—large assortment of patterns—regular \$1.25 values—each. \$1.05 Fifth Floor	\$35 Dinner Sets, \$26.50 C. F. Haviland 101-piece Dinner Sets with coin gold treatment, Friday. \$26.50 Basement Salesroom
Men's \$1.85 Hats, \$1.30 Felt hats—assortment of styles & patterns—size regular \$1.85—Friday. \$1.30 Main Floor, Aisle 10	\$7.50 Electric Showers, \$3.95 5-light slightly shopworn Showers, complete with glassware, Friday. \$3.95 Basement Salesroom
Boys' \$1.40 Hats, \$1.10 Boys' fur felt Telescope Hats—correct styles & colors—our \$1.40 value—Friday. \$1.10 Second Floor	\$8.00 Dinner Sets, \$5.98 English porcelain, 100-piece, under glass blue decoration, Friday. \$5.98 Basement Salesroom
Boys' \$1.25 Sweaters, 89c Wool mixed yarns—shawl or military collar—colors Oxford, cardinal & navy—8 to 14 sizes—Friday. 89c Second Floor	35c Parlor Brooms, 19c Grooming brooms—sawed parlor brooms, heavy stock, Friday special. 19c Basement Salesroom
\$4.50 Auto Robes, \$3.38 Wool & Mackinaw Auto Robes or Steamers—size 34x72, Friday. \$3.38 Fourth Floor	\$1.80 Sancepan Sets, 79c "Traveler" pure aluminum Sancepan sets, plain Friday, special. 79c Basement Salesroom
\$1.00 Scott's Emulsion, 64c Scott's Emulsion Cod Liver Oil, per bottle, Friday. 64c Main Floor, Aisle 5	\$18.00 Wilton Rugs, \$12.95 9x12-ft. Seamsless Wilton Velvet Rugs, excellent patterns, Friday. \$12.95 Fourth Floor
Absorbent Cotton, 17c Absorbent Cotton—pure & antiseptic—1-pound rolls—per pound. 17c Main Floor, Aisle 5	\$8.00 Carpet Sweepers, \$5.00 Duntley Pneumatic Carpet Cleaners & Sweepers, 1914 model, Friday. \$5 Fourth Floor
69c & 75c Curtain Laces, 39c 45 & 60 inch wash panel & Curtain Laces—all colors, in newest Fall designs—Friday, yard. 39c Fourth Floor	85c Linoleum, 68c Inlaid Linoleum—colors go through to back, Friday, square yard. 68c Fourth Floor
\$2 Piano Scarfs, 99c Reversible silk & rayon Tapestry Piano Scarfs, in rich new two-tone, self colors & fancy combinations—Friday. 99c Fourth Floor	\$2.50 Blankets, \$1.95 Extra size fine woolen Blankets, Friday, pair. \$1.95 Fourth Floor
\$2.00 Jersey Sweaters, \$1.39 All-wool, yarn—medium weight—double knit—retains shape—colors black, gray, navy & navy blue—Friday. \$1.39 Basement Salesroom	

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The Stirrup Charge
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R. Caton Woodville's great painting, in the next

SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH

Two Killed in Fight Over Estate.
ORLINDA, Tenn., Oct. 1.—G. M. Babb, 46, and his wife were shot and killed here yesterday by Owen Fisher, aged 41; Babb's nephew. Fisher then attempted to kill Melvin Babb, son of the couple, but failed. Trouble over settlement of an estate is said to have been responsible for the shooting.

Roosevelt Denied Change of Venue.
ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Col. Roosevelt can obtain a fair trial in Albany County on the \$50,000 libel action brought against him by William Barnes, Supreme Court Justice. Chester held today, he dismissed Roosevelt's application for a change of venue from Mr. Barnes' home county.

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WIFE SUING TO OUST WAGONER, BESIEGING HOME

Woman, After Holding Fort More Than 20 Hours, Asks Court Aid.

HAS MAID AS ARMY
Undertaker by Rear Door Attack Captures Outer Forts at 4167 Lindell.

After being besieged and practically held a prisoner for 21½ hours on the second floor of her home at 4167 Lindell boulevard, Mrs. Lulu Wagoner at noon today filed a petition in Judge Withrow's court asking that possession of the home be restored to her and that her husband, George C. R. Wagoner, president of the Wagoner Undertaking Co., be ousted. She also asked that Wagoner be made to pay to her \$100 a month for her maintenance. He has a divorce suit pending against her, alleging his wife was jealous and reproached him with being of birth and breeding inferior to hers.

With hostile allies camped within the gates of the citadel, Mrs. Wagoner, supported by a mercenary army consisting of one maid, was besieged on the second floor of her home at 4167 Lindell boulevard all of last night and this morning. The enemy, firmly entrenched on the first floor, consisted of her husband and his expeditionary force made up of one chauffeur, aided from time to time by skirmishers in the shape of women relatives and lawyers. While the siege was in progress policemen observed a strict neutrality.

Though war was formally declared May 16 last, when Wagoner sued for a divorce, actual hostilities did not begin until 2:30 p. m. yesterday, when Wagoner found the rear portcullis down and marched into the citadel.

Outpost Rout.
He routed Miss Mary Schwarz, the maid, who was on outpost duty in the kitchen and demanded the immediate and unconditional surrender of the fortress. Miss Schwarz retreated in good order and reported to her commanding officer that the enemy had taken the outer line of fortifications.

Mrs. Wagoner and the maid barricaded the doors and prepared to withstand a siege. Their field of operations then consisted of two rooms on the second floor, but their line of communication, and commissary supply was not cut off, as they still had access to a balcony overlooking the street.

While their defenses were being perfected Wagoner was reinforced by his chauffeur.

Mrs. Wagoner ventured out on the balcony and dropped a note which was picked up by a woman noncombatant. It asked that her attorney, Sears Lehmann, mobilize himself and come to her aid at once.

Unarmored automobiles, manned by noncombatants, blocked Lindell boulevard in front of the citadel when it became known that a siege was on. At one time, according to an uncensored bulletin, more than 70 machines stood there, but none of them was requisitioned. Wagoner's own war car stood in the alley back of the battle line.

Forces Rapidly Recruited.
Meanwhile the enemy's forces were rapidly being recruited. Wagoner's mother, Mrs. Sofia Wagoner, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Harry E. Wagoner, of 512 Kensington avenue, fell into line on the allies' right wing, and there was a lull in hostilities while a council of war was being held between Attorney Lehmann and Arthur N. Sager, counsel for Wagoner, both of whom had been summoned to the citadel. Lehmann, after some parleying, called out the constabulary and Sgt. Casey and Patrolmen McCoy and Young responded.

After the war council, which seemingly was without definite result, Mrs. Sofia Wagoner and Mrs. Harry E. Wagoner and the lawyers departed, leaving the besiegers still firmly entrenched, with the neutral constabulary on guard outside.

At 9:30 p. m. the chauffeur resolved himself into an ambulance corps. Half an hour later he returned, driving an automobile hearse. Suspecting that fatalities had been suppressed by the war censors the constabulary force closed in. They looked on while the chauffeur removed a cot, pillows and blankets from the hearse and carried them into the citadel. The allies were preparing to sleep in the trenches.

All was quiet along the boulevard until shortly after sunrise, when fresh war correspondents appeared on the scene.

Sortie to the Kitchen.
The first bulletin was given out by Miss Schwarz. She said that at 6:30 a. m. she made a sortie to the kitchen to boil some milk for Mrs. Wagoner. This was regarded by Wagoner as a violation of neutrality, and he made a demonstration in force which caused the maid to beat a hasty retreat. She appeared on the balcony a few minutes later and reported to Sgt. Casey that Mrs. Wagoner was ill and asked him to act as a Hague tribunal to induce the enemy to permit her to boil the milk.

A few minutes later the chauffeur, now doing duty as a special courier, appeared under the balcony and in the name of the allies again demanded immediate surrender.

Sgt. Casey, in his capacity as peace tribunal, decided that as Mrs. Wagoner claimed ownership of the home the order to surrender need not be obeyed. So the siege remained in force. Twice the commissary of the besieged

was replenished by way of the open line of communication leading to the balcony. Mrs. M. R. Naudain of 4155 Lindell boulevard sent her 12-year-old son, George, with a basket of food. Mrs. Wagoner dropped a string from the balcony. The boy tied it to the basket and it was hoisted.

Supplies for Besieged.
At 8:30 a. m. today Miss Schwarz stepped from the balcony to the porch of a vacant house next door. Reaching the street through this house she went to the home of Dr. G. A. Jordan, assistant Health Commissioner, at 438 Lindell boulevard. She returned with a basket containing bacon and eggs and a pitcher of coffee.

While Miss Schwarz was at the Jordan home, Mrs. Wagoner appeared on the balcony and told the war correspondents she was ill. She asked that Miss Schwarz be sent to her.

After responding to the call Miss Schwarz explained that a telephone in a room adjoining the barricaded apartments had been ringing almost continuously and Mrs. Wagoner was afraid to answer. She said she had instructions to have the telephone placed in the room where Mrs. Wagoner was holding out against the besiegers.

All through the early morning hours the chauffeur, behind a closed kitchen door, acted as war censor. Like most censors, he denied there was anything to give out. Mrs. Wagoner was equally uncommunicative. She said any statement as to the siege must come from her legal staff.

Wagoner Won't Talk.
At 9:15 a. m. a black limousine bearing a monogrammed "W" on its door arrived. The driver went into the house by a side door and remained there about 10 minutes. When he came out he said Wagoner was still in the house. Frequent efforts to obtain a statement from Wagoner were unsuccessful.

At 10:30 a. m. the black limousine returned. It brought mysterious reinforcements for the allies. A young woman wearing a dark blue tailcoat suit slipped from the machine. She refused to disclose her identity to war correspondents, but said she was not Mrs. Harry S. Wagoner.

The machine was loaded with what seemed to be contraband of war. There were two suitcases and a basket containing canned goods and other provisions. The chauffeur also took from the machine a bottle containing a reddish, brown liquid, an electric reading lamp, a broom, an alarm clock, a thermometer, a woman's coat, a shirtwaist box, a vase and a wicker basket. He and the woman carried these things to the rear porch.

Four Knocks on Door.
The chauffeur gave four knocks on the back door. It swung open and he and the woman went inside, carrying the supplies and munitions of war.

At 10:50 a. m. Elmer Ulrich of 2126A Michigan avenue, a Bell Telephone repair man, arrived on the field of action. Mrs. Wagoner, from the balcony, gave him directions as to how to reach her apartments through the vacant house next door. He entered by way of the balconies and the front window.

Mrs. Wagoner asked Ulrich to install a telephone in her room. She said that when her husband invaded the citadel yesterday afternoon he pulled the telephone out by the roots and took it downstairs.

At 10:55 Mrs. Wagoner wig-wagged the war correspondents and asked them to telephone to her legal staff.

"I am losing my mind," she said.

At 11:10 a mail carrier rang the front door.

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doorbell and received no answer. As he was about to depart Miss Schwarz appeared on the balcony with a chip basket attached to a string. She lowered the basket. The carrier placed the mail in it. Miss Schwarz drew up the basket and retired by way of the window.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The St. Louis "Buy-a-Bale" Plan.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
I respectfully beg to differ with the "Don't Shame St. Louis" editorial in Thursday's Post-Dispatch.

To my mind, this well-written article overlooks entirely the one really vital point in the whole "Buy-a-Bale" movement, which is to withhold as much cotton as possible, keep it off the market for a year, or two years if necessary, prevent its being dumped onto a heavily overloaded market, in order to help sustain a fair price for the balance of the crop, and anything but a fair price cannot be maintained long enough to do any real good.

It may be all right for local people in the small towns and villages down in the cotton section to buy a bale of cotton and pay 10 cents for it, and buy it from just the right farmer who is in the most distress, and take it home and store it, but this is far from practical in St. Louis.

In the first place, 10 cents net to the producer is, under all the circumstances of a large crop, etc., probably a fictitious price, and I insist that withholding about a million bales absolutely from sale helps buy a bale of cotton on the balance of the crop just as much in buying it at the highest market price as it would to pay a few people a higher price.

Some consideration must be shown to the buyer, or you will not have nearly so many buyers.

Take the practical working of it—a man in St. Louis buys a bale of cotton on your small town plan. He may or may not buy the actual "distress" bale—at a price of 10 cents plus. Then his troubles have just commenced. It is not only plus the storage, insurance and probably freight and commission, but the annoyance of making these small additional payments. You say the purchaser should undertake these. The St. Louis plan provides for all these in one payment. A contributor buys a bale of cotton at \$60 per bale through the St. Louis Committee and is not troubled with the payment of storage, insurance, etc. Besides, the contribution is limited to \$10.

The contributors are not speculators, but are encouraged to invest by the knowledge that the proposition will be handled in the most business-like way. Suppose every town in the cotton country does handle it in the original way, does it "shame St. Louis" to do it differently, provided we improve on the original way? The St. Louis Committee simply gave a little more careful study to the working out of the very excellent idea than probably the originators did.

I am not a member of the St. Louis Committee and do not brief for them, but I think the St. Louis plan is a decided improvement on the other.

St. Louis plan merely adds common sense to the scheme and puts the scheme on a practical workable basis.

The committee is paying around \$10 cents, which, under all the conditions, a very fair price, certainly not a ruinously cheap price by any means, and leaves enough margin to pay all carrying charges, and anything above carrying charges comes back to the contributor when the cotton is sold.

FORREST FERGUSON.

A Fiver for the Symphony.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
I am very much disturbed by the danger of the Symphony Orchestra having to quit all concerts unless they can raise the guarantee fund.

While it is true I haven't always been a regular attendant at the symphony concerts, simply because I couldn't always afford it, yet I haven't missed a pop concert since they began, and I am told that the popular concerts will have to stop if the symphony concerts do. That will be pretty tough on me, as I don't want to miss all the pleasure and fun I get every Sunday afternoon with my family and friends.

What is the matter with a lot of us fellows putting up say \$5 apiece to continue the orchestra and make it even more a popular and civic institution than it now is? Here's one for a starter. I'm mailing it to the Symphony Society, Central National Bank Building. How many more will follow me?

J. C. WHITEHEAD.

431 Grace avenue.

Traffic Squad for Forest Park.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
I am a constant reader of your valuable paper, and am one of the St. Louisans that, on Sundays, take my family to beautiful Forest Park. I have a suggestion to offer in connection with your very sensible editorial "Where Pedestrians Have No Rights." We have a downtown traffic squad that only work on week days and are idle all day Sunday. I think if this matter was properly put up to the Board of Police Commissioners, they would use this idle body of policemen to protect the people who take their Sunday outing in Forest Park and at the same time it would be an outing for the Traffic Squad who see nothing very beautiful on downtown street corners. It would be a diversion for the police officer and better fit him for his duties of the coming week; he would, I am sure, enjoy the scene of beautiful Forest Park.

TAMM THOR.

INDIVIDUALS MUST BE NEUTRAL.

In his able address on "Neutrality" before the Business Men's League, Mr. Harry B. Hawes remarked that the average American takes sides in a dog fight, in a prize fight, in a ball game and a yacht race—wherefore, how can he refrain from having an opinion on the causes and probable outcome of the greatest tragedy in the world's history?

We can still do that and keep friendly with each other, Mr. Hawes thinks, if we will avoid making race the vital issue—and he illustrated the utter absurdity of animosities of nationality which in this country can be only petty at most:

We hear of the Frenchman who shoots the doctor who says he has German measles. We hear one man say he will use no more English mustard; another will drink no French wine; a third will eschew or not chew Vienna sausage; a fourth puts the ban on Russian caviar; a fifth will not use Italian olive oil, because he doubts Italy's strict neutrality, and a sixth is suspicious of the neutrality of Swiss cheese.

A lady will not buy French bonnets; another, German toys, and yet another will not use Irish linen.

When will the belligerent American stop? Only when the deranged ridicule which he brings upon himself becomes more unbearable than neutrality.

Too much emphasis cannot be laid upon the main point of Mr. Hawes' address—the legal as well as moral duty of individual citizens to observe strict neutrality. Bearing upon this legal duty the following remarks deserve repetition:

It is not a violation of neutrality for a private citizen or corporation to lend money to a belligerent if made for purely commercial purposes, but it would be an infringement if the loan was in fact a gratuitous contribution.

So delicate is our position among so many friends that the President has advised against even commercial loans.

During the Franco-Prussian war large sums of money were sent by German sympathizers to Germany for hospital purposes, and large sums were sent by sympathizers with France for the relief of persons in French hospitals, and such assistance was not considered a violation of neutrality.

Since that time the organization of the American Red Cross Society provides a means of contribution for hospital assistance, which completely eliminates any question of the violation of neutrality.

Whatever may be our sympathies, whatever may be our impulses, we as individuals must not render more difficult or complex the relation of neutral which our Government is bound to observe toward the unhappy contestants.

STILL ON THE DOCKET.

President Wilson told House Leader Underwood on Tuesday he still desires the passage of the ship-purchase bill before adjournment.

Multipled indications that the European war will be a long one, and therefore that Europe's mercantile marine will not soon be available to carry America's foreign commerce, emphasize the need for governmental action to enlist, under the American flag, as many as possible of the great cargo carriers which the war impounded.

Despite the confident assertions of men serving or allied with the American Shipping Trust, this measure is not yet dead nor even sleeping. It is still on the docket and very much alive.

AN "UNFINISHED FREE" ORCHESTRA?

If you deny the right to live to any form of art which is not strictly utilitarian or self-supporting, there is no appealing to you on behalf of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra in its hour of need. But if you agree that the orchestra contributes to the esthetic enjoyment of more people than any other form of art and does more to lift people out of the sordid, you are justified in mailing your check to the Symphony Society, Central National Bank Building.

Yet apart from the question of culture, there is a great utilitarian purpose served by the Symphony Orchestra—advertisement of the city. A city cannot achieve artistic success until it achieves a certain grade or standard of commercial success.

A great musical organization on tour, as ours has been, is a traveling salesman and, as Mr. Oliver Richards has aptly pointed out, it is the only municipal institution which can be sent out "drumming." St. Louis cannot send out its parks or boulevards or architectural beauties "on the road"—and it has not even a world's champion ball team!

Last year the orchestra on tour did much to counteract in the country the bad impression disseminated by our unfinished free bridge. We can't afford this year an unfinished free orchestra, abandoned, on top of the unfinished free bridge—for want of \$15,000.

SHE COULDN'T VOTE.

Mrs. Frank Leslie came into control of a rundown publishing business at the death of her husband. She built it up, invested its profits wisely and sold it well.

But she couldn't vote.

She was a brilliant conversationalist, a forceful writer, a shrewd judge of men and ideas—a distinguished figure in the contemporary world. But, being a mere woman, she wasn't allowed a voice in the Government. Incompetent, you understand.

In death, however, she has turned the joke upon the politically competent sex, by giving her \$2,000,000 estate to be spent propagandizing for woman suffrage.

All this, of course, happened down East. We have no idea the gallant men of Missouri will withhold the ballot from Missouri's lovely women until one of them turns the laugh on this State as Mrs. Leslie turned it on New York.

THE HOOT AT THE "HANDBOOK."

The fact that the first sign of trouble between Villa and Carranza came only a few days after the appearance of the "Democratic Campaign Handbook," which devotes many pages to "The Wonderful Story of Watchful Waiting," caused critics of the administration to throw away even the caution with which they have been accustomed in late months to discuss Mexican policy.

How explosively they laughed. "Wonderful story," ho! ho! ho! they screamed apocryphally. It was the biggest political joke in a generation. They poured scorn on watchful waiting and pictured jeeringly the agony the "Handbook" editors must feel in having prematurely inventoried a lamentable collapse as a brilliant triumph.

But with the differences between Carranza and

Villa adjusted, whom will the joke be on? It was the critics, not the "Handbook" editors who counted chickens before they were hatched and made themselves objects of ridicule. Watchful waiting is justified by what it has accomplished to date, irrespective of what may happen in the future.

ST. LOUIS WATER IS PURE.

The purity of St. Louis water has been proven beyond a doubt.

Dr. Walter S. Thomas, the expert employed by the Health Department for the special purpose of testing the water, reports, after exhaustive tests, that there are no typhoid or other disease germs in the water.

This justifies Water Commissioner Wall's contention from the beginning that the water was pure. His statement was based upon thorough tests by his own experts. Their conclusions should have been accepted unless absolute proofs to the contrary were submitted.

The agreement of Dr. Thomas' tests with those of the Water Department indicates that the latter were correct and that there was no justifiable basis for the warning of the Health Commissioner against impurity in the water. The responsibility for a stupendous blunder rests with the Health Department, which apparently acted upon insufficient and misleading evidence. The blunder not only caused fear and discomfort to the people of St. Louis, but offered occasion to the newspapers of other cities to make unjustifiable and damaging comments on the St. Louis water supply and health conditions in St. Louis. It gave opportunity to cast doubt upon the exceptionally good health record of St. Louis.

A blunder like this should never be repeated. Under the new Sanitary Department disputes between the heads of departments on a vital matter of this kind should be settled conclusively before action is taken.

Meanwhile, we congratulate Commissioner Wall on his vindication. We rejoice that there is no menace to health in the St. Louis water supply. We suggest an apology from the newspapers of other cities which have done a gross injustice to St. Louis.

ITALY AND FREE SEAS.

If Italy is determined to fight, any excuse or no excuse at all will serve her in declaring war. However, to pick a quarrel with Austria over the sowing of the Adriatic with mines would give her a strength in moral position she might lack if she picked the quarrel over some issue involving less of justice.

War has many inconveniences from which neutrals cannot be safeguarded, but this practice causes them an anxiety of mind and property loss from which they should be entirely immune. It is already forbidden by The Hague code, but it seems that stronger prohibitions are needed.

These floating mines, widely distributed by storms over the high seas, impose interruptions to peaceful commerce which no nation would dare to impose by armed fleets. They have already destroyed the lives of many noncombatants this year under circumstances amounting to cowardly murder by lying in wait. Other nations not involved in the war have been deeply moved by the destruction, but they are not inclined to add to the conflagration in Europe by resenting the indefensible practice at this time by force. Italy is in fact the only one in a position to apply effective penalties.

This is, of course, one of the grave questions that must be settled for all time at the end of the war. Assuming that Italy is resolved to go to war anyway, she could give the issue paramountcy by elevating it to the dignity of a casus belli. If she fought for a free high sea, she would at least have a clearer idea of what she was fighting for than some of the other nations now engaged in the struggle.

TWO CITY PAY DAYS A MONTH.

Councilman Herrmann's bill establishing two pay days a month for city employees should have an unopposed, speedy passage. Public school teachers, subordinates in county offices, State employees should also have the benefit of a bi-monthly plan of payments. The Missouri conviction that frequent pay days simplify the problem of adjusting income to high cost of living and encourage habits of economy is already embodied in a statute directing that railroad employees shall receive their earnings twice a month.

No valid objections can be urged to the change. To deny the employees of the public what is made obligatory in the case of certain classes of private employees is inconsistent, also discriminatory.

A WAR SONG AT LAST.

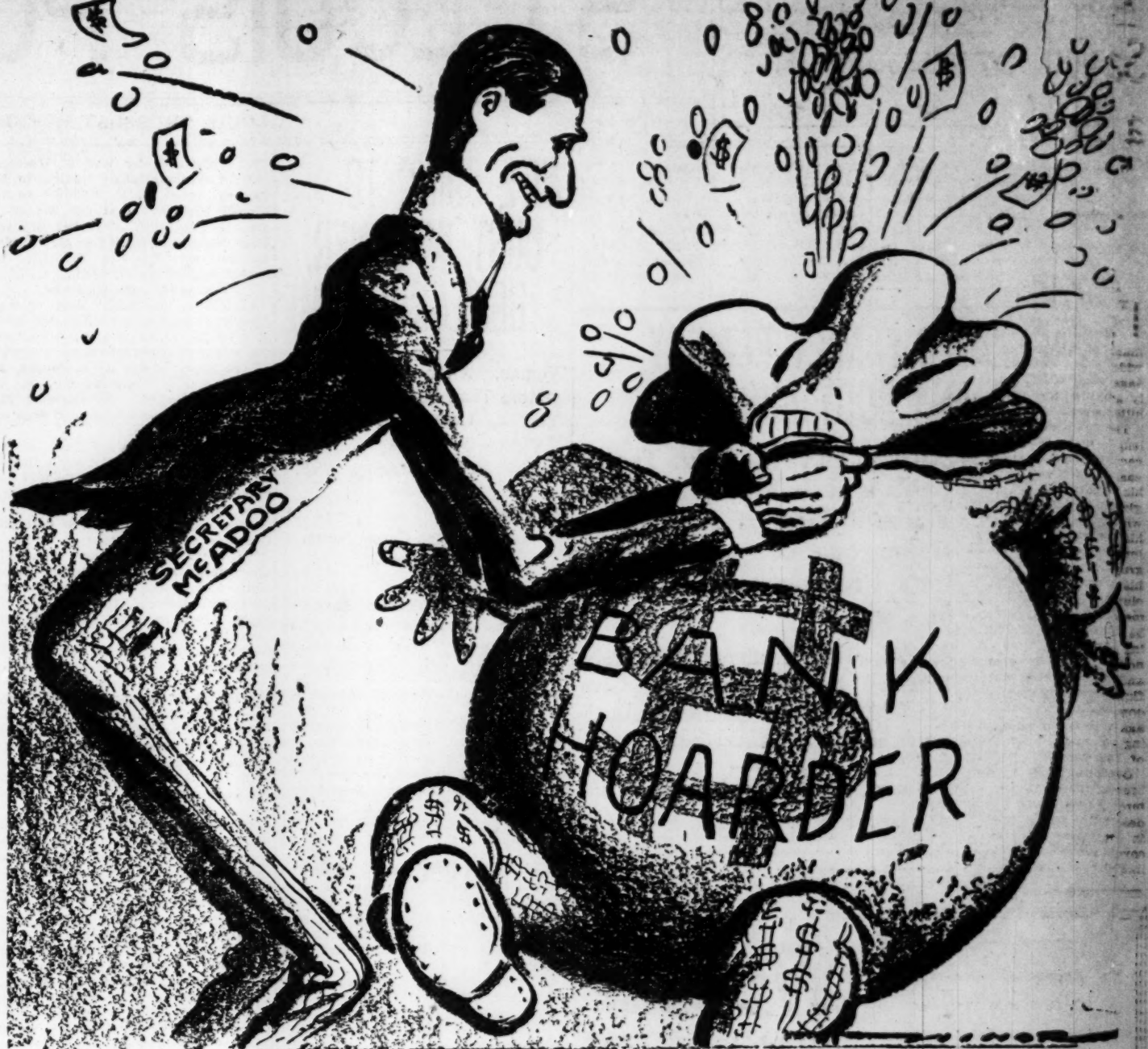
Somehow we have had a sneaking feeling all along that the real war songs of the European conflict would come from America. Much has been said about that Long-way-to-Tipperary ballad and much—far too much—British war poetry has appeared in the papers. None of it, however, has contained that elusive yet important essence of war poetry which, in our own elegant and expressive language, is called "Punch." Fancy getting excited because a highbrow solemnly and academically announces "The Hun Is at the Gate!"

True enough an Atlantic City man the other day, after reading the poetry column of a London newspaper beat his wife and set fire to his father-in-law's whiskers. Many of us have felt a similar impulse.

And now at last the full note of a true singer rises above the din. As yet he is anonymous. He has hidden his identity under the uniform of a soldier in the British Columbian Rough Riders. The Rough Riders, on the way to the front, are roaring out his Marsellaise as they march. One verse is particularly feeling—redolent of the war fervor. It runs:

Now we're on our way to war;
What the hell are we going for?
We're going to get the Kaiser's goat.
And above his whiskers down his throat!

Ca'y eat! as we say in Carondelet. There you have the true soldierly bravado, the fire, the indignancy!



COUGH UP!

JUST A MINUTE.

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.

OCTOBER.

OCTOBER of the wine-red leaves—
What memories are in thy name,
And what sweet imagery perceives
The hills with wizardry aflame!
The dogwood glowing on the height,
The sunshin set against the sky,
And on the pure, crisp air of night
The wild geese hallooing its cry!
October, thou art beautiful—too rare—too beautiful to die!

LIKE soldiers in their tents of gold,
The fields are wonderful with corn,
And mists of mellowness enfold
The world of faerie at morn.
The Hunter's Moon invokes romance
Upon the soft and shadowed air,
And all the stars of heaven dance
For joy of beauty everywhere.
October, thou art Beauty come with vine leaves woven in her hair!

HOW red the West has come to glow
When day goes riding to his rest,
And what soft winds contrive to blow
Their sweets from Araby the blest!
The kilder calls upon the shore,
The sky grows mystic like the sea,
And all the arts of fairy lore
Are working magic in the tree.
October, thou art happiness—our dearest dreams come true in thee!

THE READER'S WAR GUIDE.

There was suppressed excitement in the paper on yesterday, but whether anything important happened it was hard to make out. The Allies seemed to be under the impression that the Germans were giving way on the second page, but the Germans themselves could not notice it, nor could the reader be quite sure of it, either. What seems to have been the fact was that the time had come in that great battle when someone would have to give, and inasmuch as the Germans had given in, the Allies naturally looked to them to give again. It has been a long time now since the Allies gave, and one hears it freely said around the first page that they have given all they are going to give. There is, too, a feeling in the paper that if the Germans could not make a proper use of the opportunity when the Allies were giving so freely, it is only fair that the Germans themselves should give a while and let the Allies see what they can do. It was a psychological situation, as far as we could make out, and one not easily fathomed by what might be termed surface readers.

The Weather Bird, who has just returned from a protracted stay back in the paper, says the feature of the war before it ends is going to be the number of Russians engaging in it. He says they are still mobilizing, and that if it takes them as long to disperse as it is taking them to reorganize, the war is going to last a year, anyway. He thinks the salvation of the Germans and Austrians lies in getting whipped before all the Russians come down on them. This is a new view of the situation, but it is that of probably the only war correspondent who has gotten to the front, and we would not be surprised to discover that it is what the Germans and Austrians think about it themselves. The Russians are so numerous that to shoot the man in front only makes room for the man behind, and so on ad infinitum. The Weather Bird says it is not an army that the Czar is sending down across Europe. It is a wave.

The river and harbor appropriation got into very shallow water before it got through the conference.

How War Makes Newspapers Rich.

The manner in which these great newspapers who deal in printers' supplies have whipped up the prices on everything used around a newspaper office is simply preposterous. The ink factories have shot the price of news ink up to a point that makes Gilbey's justly famous little look like a sunken submarine. The paper barons act as if they thought their wood pulp product ought to bring as much as Indian blue stock. And trol' why, you'd think type metal was composed of two parts radium and one part aurum borealis. At that, we could manage to ease through this month if some of our valued subscribers would "kick in" with a little of that emergency currency. Even a few old-fashioned dollar bills would do—Balling County (Ill.) Register.

BE THANKFUL.

Lurana Sheldon, in the New York Times, thanks goodness the price has gone up! The poor can no longer wax weak. On the aspirin dope, so take courage, have hope! Brace up! Get some red in your cheeks! There is joy 'e'en in war's bitter cup! With no coal fire in sight he may live through the night! There had to be something to check this awful phenomenae blight!

Thank fate that the cloud's silver lined, The war cloud, for can you not see We've a chance to revive, to recoup, stay alive. If we let acetanilid be? So, pray, to the war be resigned!

GIVE THE MOUNTAINS A REST.

From the Covington (Ky.) Post.
Years ago the novelists discovered the Kentucky mountains and their inhabitants, and have been at it ever since. The mountainers of fiction has become a stereotyped quantity. The time is not far distant when the mountain end of the State is going to be the wealthiest end. It is going to be more-it is going to be an intelligent, God-fearing section of the State. In many ways, right now, the mountain counties are regulating affairs more strictly than the cities. Let's have an end to the piffle of the novelists and deal squarely with the mountain people.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

BEAUTY CULTURE.

E. L. D.—Astringent for pores: Solution of witch hazel and alum. Put in as much alum powder as the liquid will take up. Let dry on. Before applying, thoroughly cleanse the face by steam or hot water, afterward dashing with cold.

A. A. A.—Better phone a physician about seed wart removal. A beautiful American girl got rid of warts on her face and neck by pressing the sun into service. She bought a big magnifying glass and for two weeks during the sunny mornings and afternoons subjected the warts to a sun bath through the magnifying glass. The warts dried up gradually and one fine morning were gone.

C. O. B.—Don't put glass of water in piano. A growing plant should be kept in your room with a piano, save a piano tuner. As long as the plant thrives the piano will. The reason that a piano is injured by dry, overcast rooms is that all the moisture is taken out of the sounding board. The board is forced into the case so tightly that it bulges up in the center, and though the wood is supposed to be as dry as possible when this is the case it contains some moisture and gathers more on.

MRS. C.—White or pearl gray felt hat can be cleaned by covering thickly with fuller's earth, leaving on over night. Brush off in morning.

Z.—Coal oil or cold tea for fly specks. READER.—A Californian says that prosaids will take ink out of anything—even colored goods.

HEALTH HINTS. JOHN.—Weight for man 6 feet 4, 131 pounds. Don't worry. Eat simply, sleep well and exercise all muscles sufficiently. Be thankful you are not too fat.

MRS. C. F.—Tape worm: Full strength pumpkin seeds; hull and crush to fine powder, mix with a little honey and spread on thin piece of bread; eat as ordinary sandwich. In one or two hours follow with a cathartic. Northern lake fish are said to have been infested with tapeworm.

GRATEFUL.—Anemia is chiefly the result of a badly chosen diet, and the trouble can be averted—and even cured—by the persistent eating of spinach, lentils, lima, black currants, damsons and all fruits and vegetables containing iron. The anaemic should be removed, and there should be rest, restricted exercise, fresh air, sunlight and a highly nutritious diet. Tonic of most value are iron, arsenic, quinine and strychnine. The carbonate of iron, gr. ii-v, 3-4-32 Grm.) is most employed, but Bland's pills, Barham's mixtures, tincture of iron or iron, or other preparations of iron may be used. Great care should be taken to prevent constipation. The bowels should be kept regular by the use of laxative preparations. It is well to have the blood examined by a capable physician.

LAW POINTS. (Bear in mind that these answers are written to the query only.) DEGRADED.—Slender and damage proved in the Circuit Court may be punished by a fine of \$100 or imprisonment for 30 days. A ST. LOUISIAN.—The answer to Criminal Court, and was sent to phone book. C. P.—In ordinary circumstances the charge of a woman with boy with whom she has "run away" would not be annulled.

E. K.—Hunting license, \$1. At Clayton you may get license to hunt in St. Louis County, and a second license adjoining. With St. Louis license you could hunt in St. Louis County.

P. Q. D.—Pro forma decree necessary to incorporate the society or club and release members from personal liability. Services of attorney will be required to draw up and file petition and represent the organization.

ANXIOUS.—The deed to lot is all you get, and sufficient, whatever you build thereon belongs to you without further formality. The party in Recorder's office no doubt meant the permit to build, this is generally taken out by contractor.

C. S. A.—As owners of the property you are not required to advise holder of first deed of trust you are about to sell, and a second mortgage is not required. When executing the second deed of trust be sure the same states it is subject to a prior mortgage for as much.

WILLIAM.—The German Government should call on a soldier a former subject. You taking an oath of allegiance to any foreign government would expatriate you so far as your American citizenship is concerned. Should you return here and claim to be an American once more, you would have to be naturalized over again.

CONSTANT.—A widow has no right in the estate of her father-in-law either within a year or at any other time; his widow (your dead husband's) having no children or descendants, your father-in-law's estate, in event of no will, passes to his other child or children; or, if any are dead, to their descendants. Should he will you something, it will stand unless the will is annulled. You are successful in having it set aside. The chance of this is slight unless he wills you the bulk and undue influence or some second mind can be proven.

EMIL AND JULIUS.—The value of the United States is now at \$130,000,000,000, while that of France is \$60,000,000,000, and of Germany \$45,000,000,000.

EDWARD.—The dress shrinks to some soft-lined bosom, some roomy, and others a wide stiff bodice with white figure material, and having turned back some stiff and some soft, have a worn in full dress for the party.

W. A. D.—Lieutenant-Governor Jam R. Panter of Carrollton, La., is expected to resign. The error must be \$5. United States is years, resident of State seven years before election. President of Senate. He acts as Governor of the Governor. There is some Court decision that absence of Governor from the State on duty does not disqualify him from being Governor.

J. B.—Chest and shoulder blades on hips slowly exhale a from lungs. As arms are elevated head turn palms up and back. At same time taking in slow breath. As arms are lower them back and slowly exhale. Expiratory act should be complete as hands come together above head. Expiratory act bring of a state of extreme contraction in arms in front and bending at same time making it force time to get rid of the residual air. Cough and labor when through the nose. All energy more beneficial if taken in

aved by Trick

A Duel to the Death Between a Renegade and a U. S. Trooper.

By W. Hanson Durham.

It was hot—so scorchingly hot that the very skyline itself seemed to writhe and waver unsteadily in a haze of undulating heat beyond the waste of chaparral and scattered bushes which stretched monotonously to the westward and the foot of a beyond.

He man, sprawling listlessly out full length in the scant shade of a scraggy tree, gasped again and stirred un- dily, then raised himself painfully to elbow and gazed with fixed and

eyes toward the Eastern horizon which seemed only to mock him with a sense of utter desolation and loneliness. With a sigh, he reached

ingly about, like a blind man, until trembling fingers finally found and

ted desperately at the blistering al of a battered tin canteen which lifted hopefully for the last, linger- drop, but only the same empty, low gurgle greeted his longing lips.

d with a half-muttered curse, he

it weakly from him and sunk, face

ward, with wide outstretched arms

ain, his fingers working and clutch- convulsively in the arid alkali dust

the desert.

Overhead, like a blotch against the

ruzen copper dome of sky, a solitary

on of great size swept lower to slow

ascending circles, and from out a cleft

the barren ledges a gaunt-limbed

oyote crept and skulked and stood for a

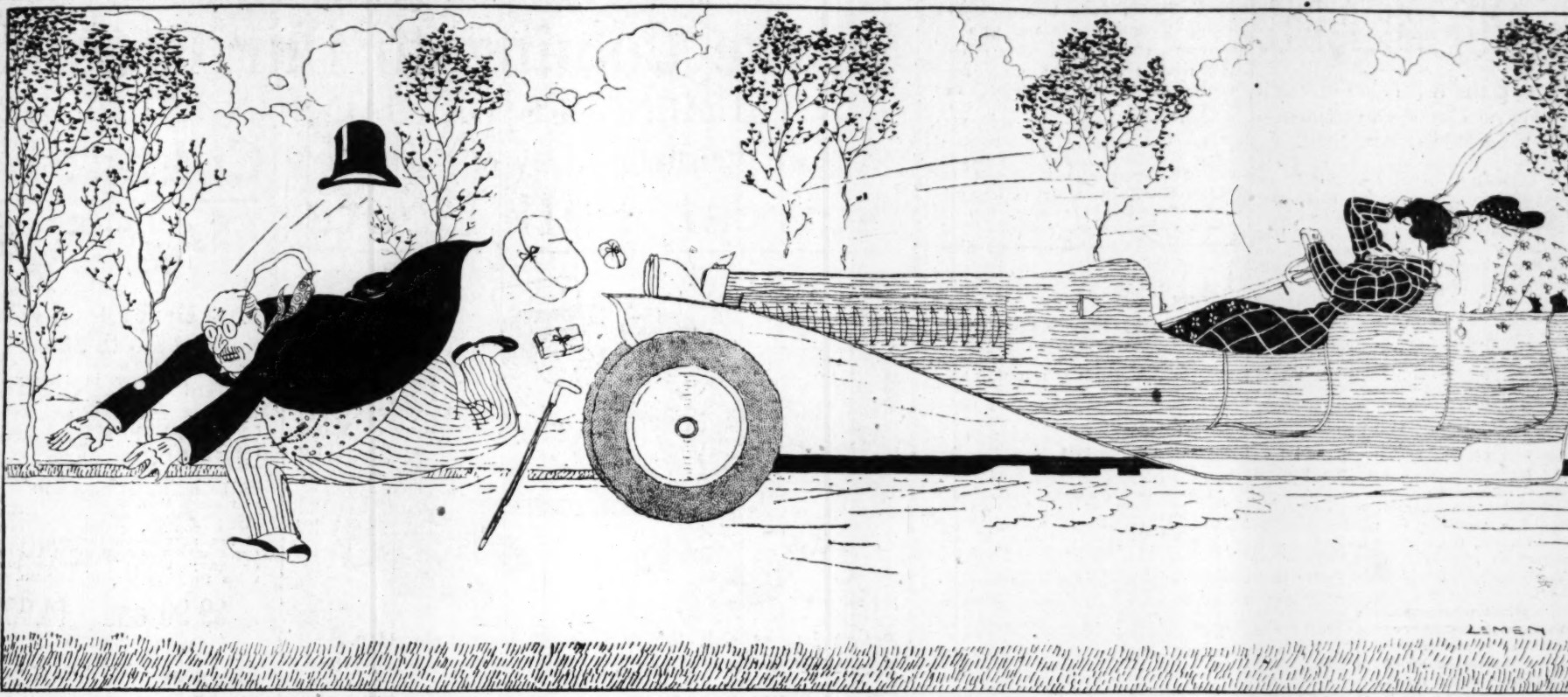
moment in doubtful uncertainty, then

bared his gleaming teeth in a diabolical

grin of anticipation.

"Water! water!" gasped the man in- coherently. "For the love of God—a

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complete—the feast could not begin un- til Death, the third guest, had come. The man groaned moaningly, and

turned his head wearily, and slowly

opened his eyes and looked about and

saw them there.

"Oh, God!" he pleaded, chokingly.

"Wait—until I'm dead!"

His Senses Fail Him.

H E glared at them with fixed fa- cination until his fevered eyes

seemed to glow and burn like

gloves of molten metal in the sunken

sockets, and then all reason left him,

and with a laughing oath upon his

senseless lips, he fell back indifferent,

upon the sand, and the great bird cir- cled closer and the hungry beast crept

nearer and sniffed, then lapped at the

quiet, upturned face, unafraid.

Joe Mary, the hunted half-breed ren- egade, saw from his shelter behind a

clump of withered buffalo grass grow- ing close beside the trail at the base of

the foothills, the circling buzzard and

read its meaning, and shading his eyes

with a bronze palm, he could see the

shape of the prostrate trooper who had

relentlessly followed him thus far and

closely along the trackless trail.

The day before, Joe Mary simply

grunted gutturally when he had, from

long range, shot the soldier's pony from

his ambush behind a sand hill beside

the trail, but when his second shot

pierced the trooper's almost empty can- teen, he smiled grimly to himself with a

greater satisfaction, for he knew the

end was now nearer, and accordingly

flattened himself out upon the neutral

tinted, sun-baked earth, to watch and

to wait.

He saw the persistent ploddings of his

pursuer, and eyed with precious pleas- ure his first faltering steps, which

grew, as the day lengthened and the

heat strengthened, into erratic wander- ings. He smiled again in triumph as he

saw the trooper reel and fall—then

crawl, helpless, gasping and choking,

into the shade of the cañon, back be- side the trail.

The heart of Joe Mary was now

joyous, and rising cautiously to his

feet, he stood for a moment and closely

scanned the flat eastern horizon. Gras- ping his stolen pony firmly by the nose,

he strode boldly forth back along the

barren trail, led on by the long ac- cumulated hatred of his ancestors to

behold and gloat gloriously at the last

lingering touch of the exquisite torture

of thirst.

The trooper gasped once and gulped

greedily at the first touch of tepid

moisture which fell tricklingly upon

his ambush behind a sand hill beside

Joe Mary, and with an effort he opened

his eyes and struggled slowly to his

elbow. All animosity was vanquished

by the conquering, leveling thirst, and

he reached blindly out to seize the tin

which held more of the precious fluid,

but with a sickening sneer, the half- breed stepped quickly back and shook

it, splashing and tantalizing in its full- ness, before his longing eyes, and then

turned it deliberately out upon the ab- sorbing sand.

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sneeringly.

"You die for water, I guess!" taunted

Joe Mary with intense, savage instinct.

"Mebbe I give one big drink—all, then

shoot quick—eh? Plenty water over

there," and he pointed with long, lean

arm toward the foothills. "Mebbe I

am toward the foothills. "Mebbe I

don't give water—eh, but go away and

no shoot now. You die just as same.

Which?" and he leered treacherously

forward as he again held the canteen

toward the trooper.

A Trick Saves His Life.

"WATER!" gasped the man still

chokingly, and he snatched

greedily at the proffered tin

and carried it joyfully to his lips. The

water ran in a gurgling, grateful

stream down his parched and swollen

throat and oozed tricklingly from the

corners of his mouth. Then, when at

last the ecstasy was over and the

awful, consuming thirst was conquered,

he threw aside the empty tin and faced

the half-breed's still threatening

weapon.

"Now I'm ready to die. I've had a

drink!" he remarked coolly, as he

wiped the moisture from his lips and

stood still, staggering a little, as the

half-breed's eyes glittered and gleamed

death to him over the sight of his men-acing muzzle.

Overhead, the solitary buzzard still

circled and looked down from dizzy

heights and the coyote still skulked

expectantly among the growing shad- ows of the sand hills.

Joe Mary paused, stepped back a pace

and again raised his weapon. Then,

just as the muzzle grew suddenly

steady once more, and his bronzed fore-

finger began to crouch closely against

the trigger, there came, sharp upon

the still desert air, a quick, warning

rattle and a subdued hiss at his feet,

and with a wild look of abject terror

in his evil eyes, he leaped quickly aside,

and as he did so, there was a sudden

spurt of flame, followed by a quick

puff of smoke and a sharp report, and

Joe Mary pitched forward and lay still,

face downward, in the alkali dust.

"Just a trick of the tongue!" mut- tered the trooper laconically, as he

shoved his still smoking weapon back

into its holster, and, climbing weakly

upon the dead man's pony, rode off in

the direction of the foothills.

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continued today with Senator Borah leading the attack. Senator Borah contended the Democratic anti-trust program was a reversal of strict statutory prohibition of monopoly as expressed in the Sherman law and was a step towards regulation of monopolies and restraints by commissions. Yesterday he assailed the conference report as a phase of the tendency to take the Government out of the control of the people and center it in commissions of individuals. He declared the Clayton bill was nothing more than an aid to the Federal Trade Commission.

Explaining his opposition to what he called a tendency to restrict popular government, the Senator quoted from a speech of President Wilson before his inauguration, in which the latter stated that he did not believe in commission forms of government, and that he would not submit government to any form of trusteeship.

Views of Business Men.
Already, Senator Borah asserted, the railroads had been turned over to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the banks to a Federal Reserve Commission and industrial affairs to a trade commission.

Trust legislation, as embodied in the bills enacted by the Congress, Senator Borah declared, reflected the views of the big business men of this country who opened a campaign for commission regulation and opposition to the Sherman act immediately after the dissolution of the Standard Oil and American Tobacco companies.

Senator Nelson of Minnesota also assailed the bill, maintaining that it was a step backward from the Sherman law instead of a step forward.

Discussion of the conference report probably will continue for several days. When a motion to recommit it to the conference, with instructions, will be made. Opponents of the bill declared that their fight for reconsideration of the report was gaining strength.

BANK TAX ELIMINATION IN WAR BILL PROPOSED

Higher Levy on Beer and 25 Cents a Horsepower on Passenger Autos Suggested.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Amendments to the war revenue bill suggested and now being considered by Democrats of the Senate Finance Committee include one to eliminate the proposed tax of \$2 a thousand on bank capital and surplus. Senator John Sharp Williams, a member of the committee, has introduced an amendment to strike out the

Other amendments suggested to make up for the deficiency that would be caused by abandoning the bank tax and the elimination of the tax of two cents a gallon on gasoline are as follows:

Two cents tax on bank checks, drafts, letters of credit, etc.; five cents a gallon on rectified whiskies, which, it is estimated, would yield about \$5,000,000; an increase of 25 cents a barrel in the proposed \$1.50 tax on beer, making the total levy \$1.75, to yield a total of \$10,000,000.

estimated revenue of \$52,000,000, and 25 cents per horse-power on passenger automobiles.

Chairman Simmons said there undoubtedly would be several changes in the House bill, but that no conclusions had been reached by the committee.

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Committee in Charge of
Movement Number 4399.

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Orders had been received for 4399 bales to noon today. Employees of the Rice-
Lax Dry Goods Co. bought 65 bales yester-
day. The other orders received during
the past two days have been mostly
from individuals buying in one and two

The Hamilton-Brown employees who bought each one bale of cotton are:-
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Regular \$1.98
Velvet Turbans

79c



Special Friday offer of smart Fall
Hats—newest styles,
with feathers,
wings, etc. **\$2.98**

**JM FOR \$22,000,000
FILED AGAINST FRISCO**

holders of Former Subsidiary of Road Allege Indebtedness on Bond Guarantee. claim for \$22,000,000 against the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Co. was filed today by the bondholders of the Orleans, Texas & Mexico Railway, formerly a subsidiary of the co. The bondholders allege that the co. is indebted to them to the amount of the claim on its guarantee of the Orleans, Texas & Mexico bonds. stockholders' committee of the Frisco time ago took the position that New Orleans, Texas & Mexico bonds not constitute a valid obligation of the Frisco. To bring the question of the validity of the bonds to an

issue, an order was made that all claims against the Frisco must be filed with Master in Chancery Fauntleroy not later than Oct. 1.

The claim grows out of transactions which led to acquisition by the Frisco of numerous Texas lines, including the Brownsville, Orange & Northwestern, Beaumont, Sour Lake & Western and the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico proper. These lines were merged to constitute the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico division of the Frisco, which was operated as Frisco property until the Frisco lines were placed in the hands of receivers in 1913.

The New Orleans, Texas & Mexico is also in the hands of receivers, and the property is to be sold under mortgage foreclosure. After the Frisco had acquired stock ownership of the several Texas lines, it caused bonds to be issued against those properties for about \$25,000,000. The Frisco became a guarantor on the bonds. The holders fear a loss of \$12,000,000 or more.

BANK ROBBERS GET \$4000

Three Bandits Reported to Be Surrounded Near Keifer, Ok. MUSKOGEE, Ok., Oct. 1.—Three masked men entered the Central State Bank of Keifer, at Keifer, Ok., yesterday, forced the cashier into the vault, obtained \$4000 and escaped. The men were reported surrounded by a posse last night several miles from Keifer.

Throws Intruder Downstairs.

Burton H. Higley of 4068 Botanical avenue heard footsteps in the hall about 9:30 o'clock last night and found a man there. Higley pitched the intruder down the steps. The man was taken to the city hospital and treated for a lacerated scalp and alcoholism. He said he was Henry Miller, 60 years old, and that he had no home.

**J. T. MILLIKEN JR.,
HELD AS SPEEDER,
MAY LOSE PAROLE**

Judge Wurdeman to Ask Juvenile Court to Revoke Clemency, if He Is Convicted.

John T. Milliken Jr., 16 years old, son of a St. Louis millionaire grain dealer and oil magnate, who was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of speeding, after Motor Cycle Patrolman Oliver Simon had been injured by Milliken's machine, is under parole from the St. Louis County Juvenile Court. He was convicted there last October on two indictments for reckless driving and was fined \$75 and \$50.

Judge Wurdeman, who was presiding over the Juvenile Court when the parole was granted, has been succeeded in that court by Judge McElhinney and has no jurisdiction now over the case. He said today that he would call Judge McElhinney's attention to young Milliken's arrest and if he is convicted will recommend that the parole be revoked.

Milliken, with several youths in his automobile, was speeding along the West Park road to Forest Park at 4 p. m. yesterday, when Simon went in pursuit. Just as he caught up with the automobile, at Union boulevard, his rear wheel "locked" and Simon was hurled over the handle bars beneath the automobile. His left hand was broken and he received cuts and bruises.

Motor Cycle Policeman H. A. Gierse came up. He placed Simon in the Milliken automobile and took him to the city dispensary. Young Milliken was released on his father's promise to have him in the Juvenile Court today. The boy terrorized farmers and residents in the vicinity of Crescent and Eureka by his reckless driving while staying at his father's estate. Complaints were so numerous that Prosecuting Attorney Lashly ordered a grand jury investigation. The result was the two indictments. These charged him with driving at 45 miles an hour through Crescent and Eureka. After he had been convicted and fined, Judge Wurdeman paroled the boy on the payment of the costs, which were \$75.

Under the terms of the parole the boy was to report to the Court once a month for a year.

**McADOO TAKES \$3,000,000
FROM HOARDING BANKS**

Secretary to Redeposit Cash Where It Will Be Loaned for Moving Crops. WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Following up his warning to national banks against hoarding money and restricting credits, Secretary McAdoo yesterday ordered withdrawn \$3,000,000 of the Government funds deposited in the agricultural centers to aid in crop moving. The banks from which the deposits are withdrawn were not mentioned. A Treasury Department statement issued tonight said:

"Secretary McAdoo today recalled from various banks throughout the country, which are maintaining excessive reserves \$3,000,000 of Government deposits, to be repaid to the treasury in two installments, on Oct. 10 and 20, respectively. These funds will, in the Secretary's discretion, be redeposited in banks throughout the country which will employ them in the movement of crops and for the benefit of the business situation."

La Salle Friday Bargains. French Fruit Patties, 40c grade, 20c lb. Pecan Nut Brittle, 40c grade, 20c lb.

**SAYS PATROLMAN WOULD
NOT ARREST 3 SUSPECTS**

Chief Young Investigates Charge Officer Wouldn't Go Block Out of Way.

Chief Young is investigating the charge that a patrolman refused to arrest three burglar suspects on the pretext that he had been assigned to guard school children and could not desert the duty.

Eugene Lawler, rooming at 2128 Lucas avenue, told the police that when he returned home yesterday afternoon Miss Marie Kirk, another roomer, pointed to a man walking down the street and said she had caught him prowling about the house.

Lawler said he shadowed the man to Garrison and Lucas avenues, where the suspect joined two companions, who were sitting on the curb. Lawler found a policeman a block away, but the latter refused to accompany him to the place where the three men were, explaining that he was on his way to a school in the neighborhood.

Well Store Opens Fall Season With Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing. It is announced by the Well Clothing Co., Eighth street and Washington avenue, that the firm has opened the fall season with the largest stock its buyers have ever assembled. All of the floors of the Well building will be devoted to the fall sale. The first floor has only men's and young men's overcoats; on the second floor will be found suits for men of all ages; the third floor is devoted to boys' clothing, while in the basement may be found trousers and raincoats. The firm, in announcing the fall sale, makes a point of having eliminated all decorations, so as to give buyers rock-bottom prices.

Railway Chief Believes in Villa. Dr. F. S. Pearson of New York, president of the Mexican Northwestern Railroad, who stopped over in St. Louis today on his way from San Antonio to Chicago, expressed the opinion to reporters at Union Station that Pancho Villa would be successful in his efforts to control Mexico, because Villa has a military power and had much ability as an executive.

**CONFERENCE HELD
UPON MEANS TO
SAVE SYMPHONY**

Executive Committee Considers Placing Appeals Upon All Street Cars.

The Executive Committee of the St. Louis Symphony Society met at noon today at Faust's to discuss ways and

means for raising between \$12,000 and \$15,000 necessary to guarantee the expense of giving the winter's program of symphony and popular concerts. The committee decided to have posters hung on street cars, bearing the legend: "Give now! Save our symphony orchestra."

It is hoped that the necessary fund will be guaranteed by Oct. 5, as it will be necessary at that time to decide whether to make contracts involving the \$30,000 spent each year to present 30 symphony and 20 popular concerts.

Arthur J. Gaines, manager, said today that among the responses to an appeal published Tuesday were offers to buy season tickets for the popular concerts. Gaines said it would be impossible to add to the revenues of the society by selling such tickets, as a

full attendance at each popular concert is expected, based on experience last year.

The management solicits pledges of \$5 and \$10 sums from those who are interested in maintaining the orchestra. Oliver F. Richards, chairman of the Executive Committee, presided at the meeting today.

An appeal to City Club members to aid the Symphony Orchestra by campaigning to raise \$15,000 before Oct. 5, will be made tomorrow at the noonday luncheon of that body. Addresses will be delivered by Benjamin F. Bush, president of the Missouri Pacific Railway; R. S. Hawes, vice-president of the Third National Bank; Owen Miller, secretary of the Musicians' International Union, and Ben Blawett, Superintendent of Public Schools.

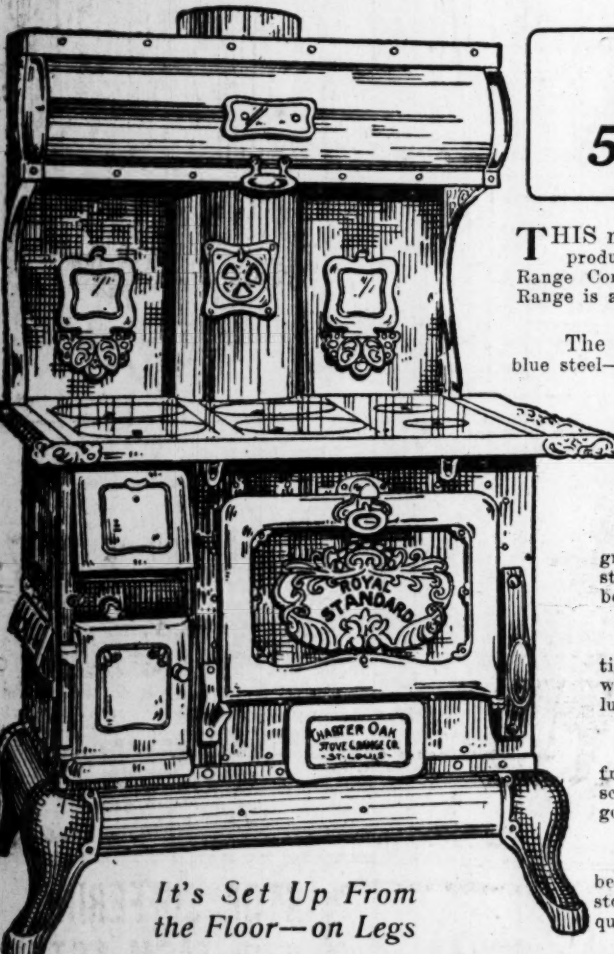


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The body of this Range is of finest polished blue steel—and will retain its beautiful finish—and always look as well as the day you bought it.

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Has the most approved style of duplex grate—burns either wood or coal—and is so constructed that one turn of the crank cleans the fire box of all ashes.

The large warming oven at top has tight-fitting drop door—and will keep your meals warm until ready to serve—and keep them absolutely clean.

The entire Range, as you see, is set up from the floor on legs—so you can sweep and scrub under it with perfect ease—a feature all good housewives will appreciate.

By contracting for a very large number of these Steel Ranges for all our various stores—we are able to offer the regular \$35.00 quality—for only \$29.75.

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All-Silk Velvet Hat Shapes, \$1.98 and \$1.48



Including the four popular shapes shown above. These are not velvet, but the finest quality of all-silk velvet. Friday and Saturday **\$1.98 and \$1.48**

Silk Velvet Poppies
Black, white and all the new shades; our 60c Poppies, Friday and Saturday, **\$1.48-\$2.98**

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The popular, masculine, ready-to-wear, in felt or velvet, **\$1.48-\$2.98**

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The Favorite Styles
Suits with every length of coat from 36 to 45 inches. Beautifully silk and satin lined, effectively trimmed with velvet, pomera, silk or self materials, while the skirts are made in the favored long tunic or yoke models, varying with box plaited tunics and other pretty effects.

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WE not only achieved the most satisfactory result in being able to secure these Dresses to sell at such a low price, but we induced the manufacturer to make them up in more than one dozen distinctly different styles. This means that you will not meet the counterpart of your dress at every turn of a corner. Something out of the ordinary about each model. Some have different arrangements of trimming, others differ as to girdle, tunics in so many modifications that you wonder who designs them all; pleats in various forms. The many materials include satin, messaline, taffeta, poplin and serges in all the season's best shades; all sizes; at **\$6.95**

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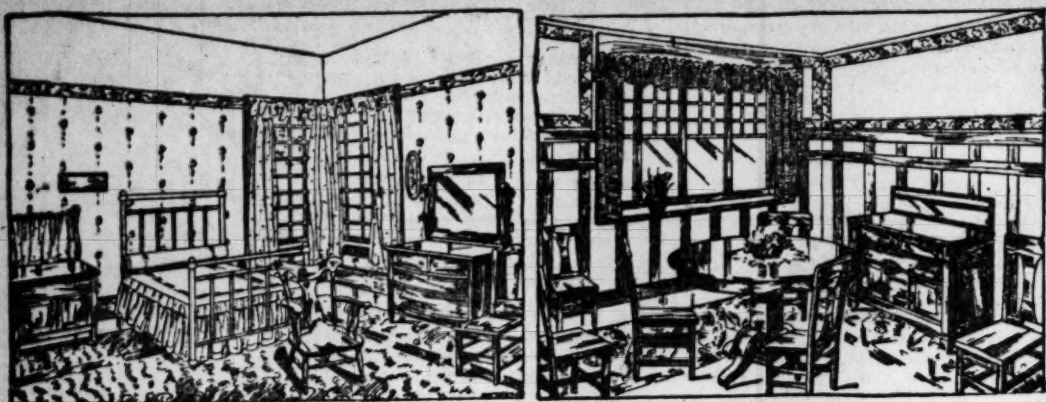
WE purchased a large manufacturer's stock of Trimmed, Tailored and Dress Hats. According to our agreement we cannot use his name. Made of a fine quality erect pile velvet, silk plush and of imported Lyons' velvet. All handmade on willow frames. Our price is less than the cost to manufacture. Turbans and sailors in this lot, trimmed with flowers, aigrettes, wings and ribbons; black and colors. About 200 in the lot; Hats ranging in value from \$4.00 to \$8.00 will be placed on sale in three different lots, as follows:

94 Trimmed Hats, worth \$4.00, at **\$1.65**
108 Trimmed Hats, worth \$5.00 and \$6.00, at **\$2.65**
98 Trimmed Hats, worth \$7.00 and \$8.00, at **\$3.65**
If any Hat can be duplicated at the same price, will freely return money.

50c Silk Velvet Poppies, 25c
Not the kind others are advertising for a quarter—but our own patterns. Comes in all the newest shades. Very special. **25c**

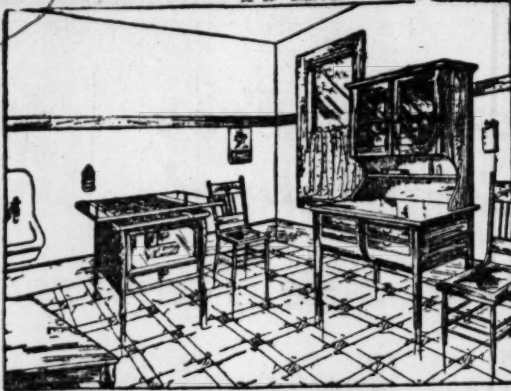
100 Dozen New Hats Have Arrived
\$1.98 Silk Velvet and Plush Shapes (in Basement) 98c
Our price is less than jobbers' cost. Fine quality of velvet and plush, smart Sailors and chic Turbans. The illustration (on left) shows one of the ten styles at 98c.

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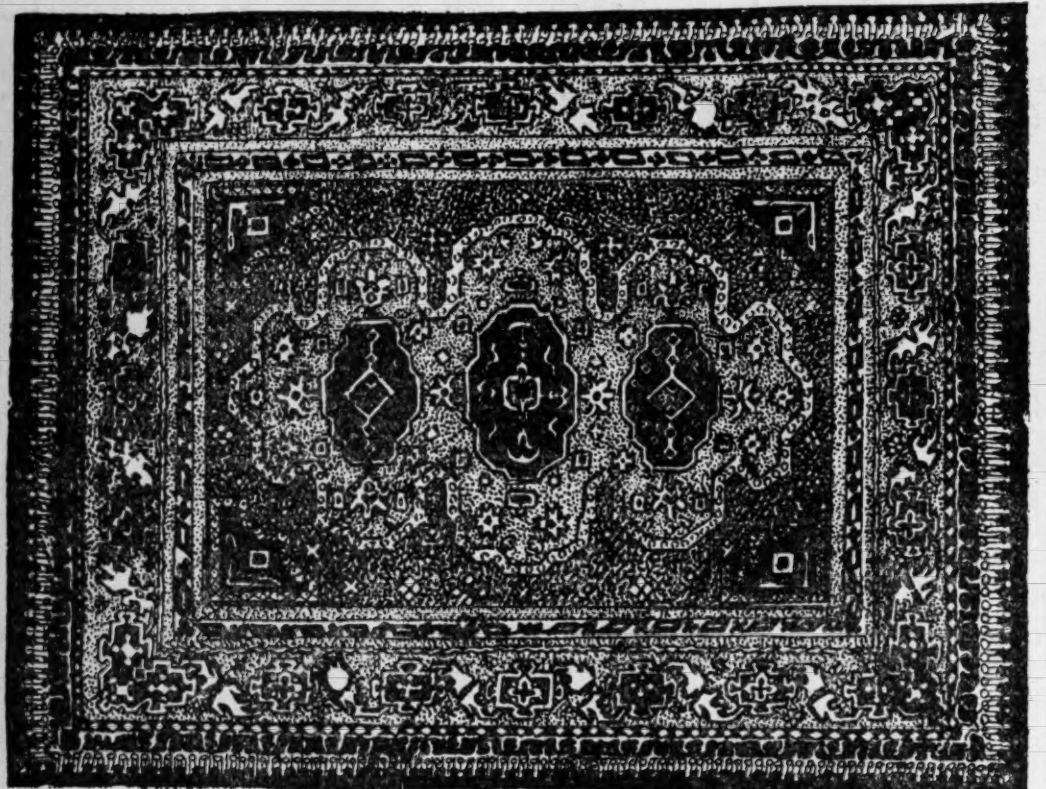
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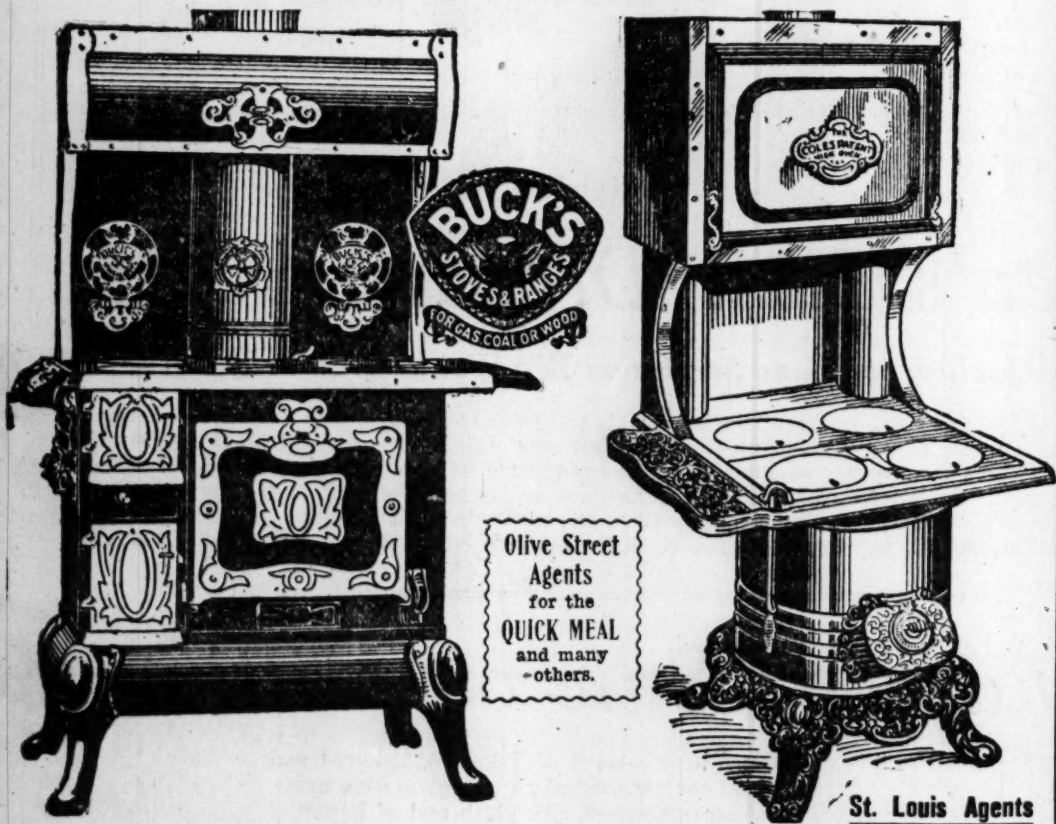


This Outfit Consists of

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Margaret Livingston in "With-in the Law." Shubert. Return engagement of Bayard Veller's gripping melodrama of organized crime. Miss Livingston gives effective portrayal of Mary Turner, its resourceful central figure.

Al. R. Wilson in "When Old New York Was Dutch." American. Romantic comedy, with star as singing German hero.

"The Deep Purple" Park. The Players in futile and badly constructed drama of the underworld. Company does clever work.

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Vaudeville. Columbia. Bill headed by Emma Carus in songs and dances.

Vaudeville. Hippodrome. Bill headed by Harry Girard and company in "The Luck of a Totan."

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Billy Watson's Orientalists. Standard. Burlesque and vaudeville.

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"Cabiria." New Grand Central. Last week of D'Annunzio photoplay.

"Damaged Goods." Garrick. Photoplay version of Brieux drama.

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A delightful place to entertain your visiting friends with a dainty luncheon.

Society

MR. AND MRS. CHARLES W. WALL JR., whose wedding Saturday was one of the notable events of the autumn, are spending the first days of their honeymoon at Grove Park Inn, Asheville, N. C. They were among the guests at a tea dance and a dinner dance, two of the larger social events of the week at the Inn. Mrs. Wall was Miss Helen Maloy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hunt Turner of the Raymuth apartments and their daughters, little Misses Lucy and Margaret, who have been visiting Mrs. Turner's mother, Mrs. Ben O'Fallon, at Red Gate, near Boyce, Va., have returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Veiths of 406 Westminister place and their children have returned from spending the summer at Lake George, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Calhoun of 4446 Lindell boulevard, who have been at Rye Beach, N. H., all summer, have joined the autumn crowd at the New Greenbrier, in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Other St. Louis guests include Earl Thompson, Robert Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Thompson, W. F. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Byrne, W. L. Taylor, W. W. Powell, W. A. O'Connor, Charles W. Dinslow, John L. Day, H. G. Sawtelle, J. L. Humphrey and J. C. Barrows.

Miss Mary Lambert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Lambert of 6470 Forsyth boulevard, will depart this evening for Virginia, to enter school at Foxcroft, about 40 miles from Washington.

Mrs. Claude S. Kennerly of 16 Lennox place and her two little daughters have returned from Bliddeford Pool, Me., where they spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Goldsmith have taken an apartment at 5126 Delmar boulevard. Mrs. Goldsmith was formerly Miss Irene Mangle.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis C. Boislanciere of 344 Washington avenue and their son, Louis Jr., have returned from the East, where they visited Mrs. Boislanciere's niece, Miss Hattie Oxley of Long Branch, whose wedding took place Sept. 18.

Mrs. Morgan Krebs Deale of 5744 Cates avenue is in Chicago, visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl W. de Roth of Sheridan drive. She expects to return early this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bearman, 3851 McPherson avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sarah, to Sidney Groner of Shreveport, La. Mr. and Mrs. Bearman and their daughter will be at home Sunday evening, from 7 to 10 p. m.

Florence Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Jackson of 10 Thornby place will be one of the maids of honor at the Valedictory Ball, Miss Jackson is a Vassar graduate of the class of 1913.

Howard Siegrist, former St. Louisan, to Wed Kentucky Girl.
NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Marion Ruth Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Edwards Mitchell of Hastings, Ky., will be married tonight in Zion Episcopal Church, at Hastings, to Howard Siegrist, now of Hartford, Conn., but formerly of St. Louis. His mother was formerly Miss Minnie Rowley of St. Louis and his grandfather is Col. George A. Rowley, U. S. A., retired. After the wedding there will be a reception at the home of the bride's parents.

A Leap for Life.
See Fulvius' plunge into the Mediterranean in Cabiria, New Grand Central.

WOMAN ACCUSES DEPUTY

Mrs. Anna Adler, who conducts a grocery at 5747 Easton avenue, told the police that Deputy Constable Frank H. Reynolds of Justice Miles' court twisted her arm and threw her down yesterday afternoon because she resisted his efforts to execute a judgment of \$12.75 against her. While he was removing goods to the sidewalk she locked the door and Reynolds, to gain admission, smashed a glass panel. She was advised to see the Prosecuting Attorney.

Plovers Friday Barbecue.
Celebrated Chocolate, 15c lb. 521 Olive.

Juniors' & Misses' Coats

(Like cut.)
\$7.50 values.
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Of novelty materials, shawl collars— piped with contrasting colors.
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With raglan sleeves—loose belt and box pleated back.
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\$25 Fur Fabric Coats

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Persianas, seal plushes, Ural and many others—some with hand-some fur collars—all sizes.



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Sizes 6 to 14.
BLUE, RED, BROWN AND BLACK.



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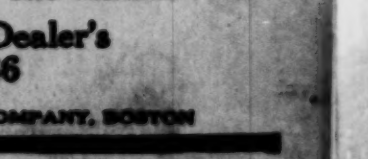
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DELMAR BE. 3974—Furnished room, private entrance, light and phone. phone, reasonable.

DELMAR BE. 4018—Newly furnished room, good bed, all conveniences; a clean hot bath.

DELMAR BE. 3094A—Venezian room, suitable for young business man or student. light and phone. \$25.00 week.

DELMAR BE. 4055—Two connecting rooms, single rooms, newly furnished, light and phone. reasonable.

DELMAR BE. 6212—Double parlor or study, light and phone. reasonable. rate or on Bette; modern electric lights.

DELMAR BE. 3716—Large and nicely furnished room, private entrance, light and phone. \$12.00 week. 2 beds, also 1 large room; gas, electric, light and phone.

DUNCAN, 4352—Furnished room for 1
housekeeping: \$12 per month; ladies
played.

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MAPLE, 5069—Nicely furnished, second story front; so. ex.; electric lights; phone. **Forest 1768R.**

MORGAN, 4065—Two or three elegant complete housekeeping rooms; heat, light, phone, conveniences.

MORGAN, 4092—Natty furnished room, private family, no smoking, house, pet reasonable.
MORGAN, 4105—Nicely furnished housekeeping room, private family, no smoking, reasonable.
MORGAN, 4109—Beautiful front single room, private family, no smoking, southern exposure, radio, piano, no smoking, \$5.00.
MORGAN, 4114—Furnished room, with private family, 3 one line, furnace heat, no smoking, \$5.00.
OLIVE, 4726A—Furnished front room, private family, no smoking, house, pet reasonable.
OLIVE, 4734—Nicely furnished room, private family, no smoking, house, pet, reasonable sleeping or housekeeping room, private family, no smoking, house, pet furnished for housekeeping, also small room, private family, no smoking, house, pet.
OLIVE, 4015—Furnished rooms, new furniture throughout, also housekeeping room, private family, no smoking, house, pet.
OLIVE, 4346—Furnished room, private family, no smoking, house, pet.
OLIVE, 4014A—Cheerful, large room, private family, with library books, separate beds, no smoking, house, pet.
OLIVE, 4735—Furnished room, electric light, private family, no smoking, house, pet, tinuous hot water, hell above, third floor.
OLIVE, 3626—Nicely furnished room, also kitchen, private family, no smoking, or on a small house, \$2.50 and \$3.50 weekly.

PAGE BL. 5070A—Nice, large room, furnished, electric lights, phone, mail.

1 or 2 cottages, Belmar 360X.
RIODE, 647—Furnished rooms for
 convenience. Call for details.
 1000—Exceptionally well furnished room
 strictly modern apartment, newly
 decorated, central heat, hot water, full
 bath, refrigerator, gas range, central
 vacuum, parking space. Call Local
 Post-Dispatch.
ROOM—Wanted, furnished place to share
 divide expense of furnishing first in
 apartment or house. Call Local
 Post-Dispatch.
ROOM—Large, bright and south rooms for
 refined people; all conveniences; parking
 space. Call 3-4806, after 5:30 p.m.
 G-TA Post-Dispatch.
ROOMS—Two large second floor cottages
 well furnished, central heat, hot water,
 then hot bath continually, free phone,
 refrigerator, gas range, central vacuum,
 parking space. Call 3-4806, after 5:30 p.m.
ROOMS—Single and double, beautifully
 furnished, central heat, hot water, central
 vacuum for water, quiet place, no children
 one block from Grand and Ocean.
 Call 3-4806, after 5:30 p.m.
SARAH, 716 N.—Newly furnished front
 porch, central heat, hot water, central
 vacuum, parking space. Call 3-4806,
 after 5:30 p.m. G-TA Post-Dispatch.
SARAH, 1225 N.—Neatly furnished room
 with central heat, hot water, central
 vacuum, parking space. Call 3-4806,
 after 5:30 p.m. G-TA Post-Dispatch.
TEMPLE, 1534-Large clean, comfortable
 furnished room, central heat, hot water,
 central vacuum, parking space. Call
 3-4806, after 5:30 p.m. G-TA Post-Dispatch.
 small private family, reasonable.
 Call 3-4806, after 5:30 p.m. G-TA Post-Dispatch.
UNION Bld., 1700—Large, furnished room
 with central heat, hot water, central
 vacuum, parking space. Call 3-4806,
 after 5:30 p.m. G-TA Post-Dispatch.

VON VERSEN, 5185—Family in West
will rent room to one or two gentlemen
willing to pay for first-class accommodation
no other boarders; reference. Forest St.
WASHINGTON Bl., 3634—Modern room

neatly furnished for gentlemen.

WASHINGTON HL. 444—Light rooms; private bath; must be seen to be desirable.

WASHINGTON HL. 444—Beautiful modern furnished rooms; very cozy and comfortable.

WASHINGTON HL. 4007—Second-floor; heating front room, furnished; home-like; very comfortable; private bath.

WASHINGTON HL. 4018—Nicely furnished; 2nd-floor; private bath; all conveniences; on private home.

WASHINGTON HL. 4401—Well furnished; 2nd-floor; private bath; all conveniences; private family; home life.

WASHINGTON HL. 4713—Neatly furnished; 2nd-floor; private bath; all conveniences; modern conveniences.

WASHINGTON HL. 1141—Well-furnished; 2nd-floor; private bath; all conveniences; home life; no smoking; best location.

WASHINGTON HL. 4782—Neatly furnished; 2nd-floor; private bath; all conveniences; on private home.

WASHINGTON HL. 4671—Nicely furnished; 2nd-floor; private family; near all conveniences; home life.

WASHINGTON HL. 4684—Neatly furnished; 2nd-floor; private bath; all conveniences; modern conveniences.

ES. FARMS FOR RENT

TRUCKS—ARM—For sale: all in line. 8 miles west of St. Louis; long lease. 1112 N. Taylor at

FURNITURE—For sale: chaise, couch and sofa; brown leather; rent now for 1935. S. Bump, Greenwood, near Oak to Lickland, two blocks south. Muttin

BUNGALOWS AND COITAGES

MISCELLANEOUS

COITAGE—For sale; new modern, 8 rooms; \$160 cash; 111.38 monthly, including utilities. Call 3330.04

BUNGALOW—For sale at rent; 5 rooms; all modern arrangements; fixtures and garage; take down one to Lickland, two blocks south. Muttin

SOUTH

COITAGE—For sale; 5 rooms; 417 Fillmore St., street and garage. Rent \$330.04

BUNGALOW—\$50 down, \$12 monthly, with interest. buys 4 room bungalow 435.04

COITAGE—For sale; new; 5 rooms, brick, complete. Call 3330.04

Dutch dining room, granitoid cedar and oak with St. Louis style. \$250.00

COITAGE—\$250.00 cash, \$2 monthly, including utilities. Call 3330.04

BIGGEST SNAP IN CITY

TWO COITAGES For \$250.00

7000 S. 1st. 2 separate frame cottages of 4 bedrooms and bath each. \$250.00. Just think price it would be offering for \$250.00. For the price of one new guest at GEO. J. DENNISON, 1001 S. Chesnut at

ONE OR TWO LEFT

3417 MINNESOTA AV.
Five rooms, reception hall, the bath, brick porch, hardwood floors, turnpike lighting fixtures, screens, all new basement and all walks granted; complete in every respect; see this and call for details of the excellent workmanship and materials in this home. Call or write for more information from Cherokee car. Salesman on premises every day. Cash sale with no delay.
DIESNER REALTY AND BLDG CO.

1344 Pierce Bldg.
Brick Cottage With Brick Stale
EASY TERMS
2202 Rural place, a 1-story brick cottage of 3 rooms, basement and cellar, also large front porch. Call for particulars. Price \$2700; take Town Grove car to Sublette av. Call for more information.
CHAS. F. VOGEL R. E. Co., 624 Chestnut

WEST
COTTAGE—\$900 cash and \$18 a month, including interest. Buy now or make brick larger lot. Write 1336 Wilson av. (opposite)

BURNS

4407 NORFOLK AV.
 Five brick cottage.
 Four rooms, bath and furnace.
 Great special cut price.
 Must be sold at once.
 See quick at
NORRIS ACH & CO. 1001 Chestnut St.

6-ROOM FRAME
\$100 Cash—Bal. Monthly

4042 Eleven av., a 2-story frame of 6 rooms, cellar, kitchen yard and sheds; lot 35x120 feet; price \$1850; Natural Bridge car to Ford av.; walk two blocks north.

CHAS. F. VOGEL R. E. CO. 624 Chestnut

FLATS. APARTMENTS. FOR SALE

MISCELLANEOUS

FLAT—For sale, double, 2000 block on Wyoming st., price \$3300. Box G-6, P. D.

SOUTH

FLAT—For sale, 39xx Shenandoah, modern 5 and 6 rooms, bath and furnace; rent \$540 yearly, price \$4500.

KOTSAREAN-ALTHERN, 722 Chestnut st. (c)

WEST

// County Snap //

Two stores and 2 flats. 6154-56 Pike av. pays on a basis of \$30000. will sell for \$39250.

ALBERT T. TERRY & CO., 823 Chestnut st.

In St. Barbara's Parish

5900 block Ridge av. 2 and 2 room single

Owen
St. Barbara's
Evanston

flat: all modern; price \$3800.
W. E. PERLE REALTY CO., 5625 Easton. (c4)

RESIDENCE FOR SALE
MISCELLANEOUS

RESIDENCE—I will sell my modern 9-room; hot water heated; for \$2550; must have at least \$1000 in cash; this is a bargain. Box A-2799, Post-Dispatch.

SOUTH

Beautiful Home, Cheap, 4002 Botanical
Has every modern convenience; will sacrifice for quick sale. Inspect it today or tomorrow from 3 to 5:30 p. m. * (6)

RESIDENCES

2 SOLD—4 LEFT

In beautiful Kingsland Court, a beautiful re-spectable, residence home place, 4200 S. Grand ave.; extremely well built, and modern in every detail; contain 6 large, light, airy rooms and alcove, attic, slate roof, tile bath, hot-water heater, D. & T. system, hardwood floors, Dutch dining room, large reception hall, wall safe, beautiful combination fixtures and beautiful electric showers; large brick tile and cut

stone porch, copper screens and shades. Kingsland Court is the most convenient part of the city, near Grover Cleveland High School, St. Anthony Church. In Kingsland Court you are afforded an opportunity you have long sought for a chance of having a home in a beautiful private home near the city center. The houses are easily worth \$7000; they are being sold at the extremely low price of \$3750. See them there daily, 2 to 6. Always open for inspection. Can make terms to suit you.

CHRISTIAN BRINKOP R. E. CO.
619 Chestnut st. (rd)
WEST
FORECLOSED
6702 Oakland av., new, modern 7-room hot-water heated house, all sanitary plumbing; 80 feet of ground; opposite Forest Park and on

The above house is situated between Lake
 av. and Union av., and is colonial in design,
 with large porch across the front; is modern
 in every respect; is moderate sized, 10
 feet front, and the price is right. If you are
 interested in a house out there, see us, and

MUST SELL
Owner Leaving City

The beautiful home, 5648 Cabanne av., 73 feet of ground, with beautiful forest trees, and splendidly built, up-to-date 11-room house, large porch around it and garage

ALBERT T. TERRY & CO. 822 Chestnut st.
NORTH
 HOUSE—For sale, 4117A Lexington, 3-room
 frame; gas. water; \$1100; call 4100A Nat-
 ural Bridge.
ONLY \$2,600.00
 Bure 2227 Slattery st., a 6-room brick real-

"LINDELL PLACE HOME"
Beautiful Place—Beautiful Street.
2957 Greer av., a 7-room and finished attic,
stucco-brick home, with slate roof; staircases

doors and interior woodwork of solid oak; each floor has cabinet mantels, with grates and plenty of closets; nice tile bath, fine furnace; granite floor basement with toilet, brick piers and steel beams; a splendid home, with beautiful yard and lawn; brick sabbath school street and brick alley; lot 30x112; subject occupied by owner; an exceptional bargain for \$7,700.

CHAR. L. WEBER, 616 Chestnut st.

FINANCIAL

Solid assets, 15c line, sweetest money wanted

MONEY WANTED

MONEY Wtd.-Loan of \$1000 on my carner lot. worth \$2500. Box A-375. P.-D. (cc)



GEORGE F. MEYER, HEAD OF COOPERAGE FIRM, DIES

He Had Been Ill Several Months and Returned Two Weeks Ago From North.

George Frederick Meyer, for 20 years president of the St. Louis Coopers Co., 101 Arsenal street, died yesterday at his home, 445 Forest Park boulevard, after a long illness of heart trouble. He retired from active business 12 months ago. He was in Charlevoix, Mich., during the summer and returned home two weeks ago, when he gradually weakened.

He was born in St. Louis 6 years ago and was a member of the Merchants' Exchange for many years. He was president of the National Coopers' Association at one time.

TRAIL OF GIRLS LEADS TO RECOVERY OF AUTO

Youths Who Took Machine Into Illinois Gave Misses of Each Village a Ride.

The sailor fashion of picking up girls in every port was followed by Clinton Clark, 18 years old, of 23 Wash street, and Frank Kelly, 19, of 316 Cass avenue, when they drove away the automobile of Melville Goldman of 673 Maple avenue. Incidentally, detectives, by following the trail of girls from one Illinois town to another, through which the youths had driven, overtook the joy riders at Bunker Hill and arrested them.

Goldman's machine was stolen Sunday night in front of the American Theater. Detectives Helms and McQuay learned that Clark and Kelly were seen in the car at Garrison and Lucas avenues a short time after the theft.

Tracing the car across the bridge to Edwardsville, the detectives found the pair had passed through and had given two of the girls a ride to the outskirts.

Following the trail, the detectives learned Clark and Kelly had repeated the same stunt in Staunton, Litchfield, Mount Olive, Hillsboro, Dorchester and Bunker Hill.

At Bunker Hill the car broke down.

YOUTH WHO DROVE OFF IN AUTO IS PAROLED

Court Takes Action Because He's Two Companions Also Were Granted Liberty.

Lee Turner, 17 years old, convicted in the Court of Criminal Correction of driving away the automobile of L. Leon Kleaky from in front of the Elks Club without the owner's permission, has been paroled by Judge Miller from a sentence of six months' imprisonment in the workhouse.

Judge Miller said that the parole was granted because two boys who were with Turner and were only six months younger than he, had been paroled in the juvenile court, and that the police had not produced at the trial any previous criminal record of the youth.

CHICAGO GETS REPORT ON LAKES-TO-GULF ROUTE

Plan Favored by Engineers Will Cost \$5,075,000 and Provide Eight-Foot Channel.

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Construction of a practical lakes-to-gulf deep waterway will cost the State of Illinois \$5,075,000, according to the report of supervising engineers made public here last night.

Gov. Dunne, who was in the city, declined to comment on the report.

The findings of the board, the result of months of investigation, outline three routes whereby the waterway project can be accomplished by the construction of a water course from Chicago to the Illinois River at La Salle. The project contemplates a navigable depth of at least eight feet.

The favored plan provides for the use of the Chicago drainage canal to Joliet, 11 miles of the Illinois and Michigan canal and the Illinois River to the Mississippi except for a two-mile detour at "varseilles," where private water rights interfere. This plan also would make a deep waterway to Davenport, Ia., by way of the Hennepin canal.

AID PLANNED FOR 5000 UNEMPLOYED OF WALL ST.

Bankers and Brokers to Help Clerks Whom European War Deprived of Work.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The banks and trust companies today were requested to aid in finding jobs for Wall street clerks who have been idle since the stock exchange closed soon after war was declared in Europe. It is estimated that 5000 men, women and boys have lost their positions in the financial district since Aug. 1.

Wall street, which seldom feels the pinch of hard times, yesterday saw the unusual spectacle of 100 clerks, among them three girls, standing in line waiting for aid.

These clerks, formerly employed in brokerage houses, who sought relief or work of some kind, were told that their former employers had organized for their relief.

LEAVES GRANITE CITY CLUB IN NIGHTCLOTHES

A man, clad in night clothing, a cap and one shoe, was found walking along Twenty-first street near Niedringhaus avenue, in Granite City, about 1 o'clock this morning.

A patrolman arrested him and walked three blocks with him toward the police station before the man staggered against a building, rubbed his eyes and asked where he was. The last he remembered, he said, was being at the Democratic Club.

He said he was George Cox, 28 years old, of Sixteenth and D streets, a foundry employee. He was released as soon as his clothing was brought to him.

THE POST-DISPATCH DAY RECORD OF MARKETS AND FINANCE

EXCHANGE MARKET AGGRAVATES WEAKER TENDENCY

Rates Fall 1 1/2 Cents, a Decline of 5 Cents on the Week.

By Leased Wire From the New York Post-Dispatch, Oct. 1.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"Exchange rates declined 1 1/2 cents further today, making a total fall of 5 cents in the pound sterling since Monday. The committee which manages the \$200,000,000 gold loan have not yet made a statement today of its proposed policy in regard to allowing the pound to fall in respect to the rates which will be charged. It did, however, prepare for formal statements by which remittances to London are desired—which indicates an entire lack of intention of discriminating, according to the urgency and importance of the transaction to be covered.

"The Bank of England's weekly statement showed a loan expansion of \$30,000,000, and its gold holdings now stand at \$100,000,000. The bank's assets are \$127,000,000 and the maximum holdings in the history of the bank up to last month was \$100,000,000. The item will be substantially increased next week.

"The shipment of about \$50,000,000 gold to Canada in London is expected to be substantially increased next week. The shipment of about \$50,000,000 gold to Ottawa under the terms of the \$100,000,000 fund was reflected in the foreign exchange market. Drafts on London are being sold as cable remittances, were about 2 cents in the pound sterling below the prevailing rate, and a large volume of business was done, and at the decline some large trading took place.

"It was evident, however, that the operations of the pool would not be affected by the prospective operations of the gold pool. There were many inquiries received from out of town, relative to the methods which would probably be used in financing about normal conditions once more.

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"The board of directors of the American Public Utility Co. met yesterday and declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 cents on the common stock, payable to stockholders of record at the close of business Sept. 30.

NEW YORK CENTRAL TO BORROW \$400,000. NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The New York Central & Hudson River Railroad, it was known yesterday, is planning to issue approximately \$400,000 of new 4 1/2 percent one-year coupon notes, divided equally between the two companies, to meet the company's financial requirements, well into 1915.

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WHEAT MARKET CLOSES NEARLY 2 CENTS LOWER

Selling Is Severe in the Late Session After an Early Advance—Corn and Oats Also Are Easier.

THURSDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS. Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.

DECEMBER WHEAT. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 1. Opening: High: Low: Close: Last Year: 109 1/2 109 1/2 109 1/2 109 1/2 109 1/2

MAY WHEAT. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 1. Opening: High: Low: Close: Last Year: 111 1/2 111 1/2 111 1/2 111 1/2 111 1/2

DECEMBER CORN. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 1. Opening: High: Low: Close: Last Year: 65 1/2 65 1/2 65 1/2 65 1/2 65 1/2

MAY CORN. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 1. Opening: High: Low: Close: Last Year: 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2

DECEMBER OATS. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 1. Opening: High: Low: Close: Last Year: 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2

MAY OATS. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 1. Opening: High: Low: Close: Last Year: 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2

CHICAGO PROVISIONS. CHICAGO, Oct. 1. Pork: 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2

NEW YORK EXCHANGE. NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The exchanges, 2207 1/2; balance, \$110,700,000.

HOG PRICES ARE EASIER. CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Buyers persistently refused to take more than a decline, and there was no urgent call for cattle. Trade in sheep and lambs proved to be only moderate.

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MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS

WOOL—Dull and nominal. Little or nothing doing in lots from first hands. Quote Northern clean, 12 1/2 to 13 1/2; United, 12 1/2 to 13 1/2; slightly better, 13 1/2 to 14 1/2; hard, 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; best, 15 1/2 to 16 1/2; heavy, 16 1/2 to 17 1/2; light, 17 1/2 to 18 1/2; dark, 18 1/2 to 19 1/2; black, 19 1/2 to 20 1/2; grey, 20 1/2 to 21 1/2; white, 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; brown, 22 1/2 to 23 1/2; red, 23 1/2 to 24 1/2; blue, 24 1/2 to 25 1/2; green, 25 1/2 to 26 1/2; yellow, 26 1/2 to 27 1/2; orange, 27 1/2 to 28 1/2; purple, 28 1/2 to 29 1/2; pink, 29 1/2 to 30 1/2; black, 30 1/2 to 31 1/2; grey, 31 1/2 to 32 1/2; white, 32 1/2 to 33 1/2; brown, 33 1/2 to 34 1/2; red, 34 1/2 to 35 1/2; blue, 35 1/2 to 36 1/2; green, 36 1/2 to 37 1/2; yellow, 37 1/2 to 38 1/2; orange, 38 1/2 to 39 1/2; purple, 39 1/2 to 40 1/2; pink, 40 1/2 to 41 1/2; black, 41 1/2 to 42 1/2; grey, 42 1/2 to 43 1/2; white, 43 1/2 to 44 1/2; brown, 44 1/2 to 45 1/2; red, 45 1/2 to 46 1/2; blue, 46 1/2 to 47 1/2; green, 47 1/2 to 48 1/2; yellow, 48 1/2 to 49 1/2; orange, 49 1/2 to 50 1/2; purple, 50 1/2 to 51 1/2; 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S'MATTER POP?

Uncle Si's Idea of the Tango.

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The Jarr Family

By ROY L. MCCARDELL.

Mr. Jarr Hears That Waists Are Going Up.

"T HE GORE"—Mrs. Clara Mudridge-Smith was saying just as Mr. Jarr came in the front room. "Oh, excuse me if you are going to discuss atrocities"—began Mr. Jarr, turning on his own right wing and making preparations to hurriedly retreat. "Well, it WAS an atrocity if the gore was as you say!" said Mrs. Jarr. But she was speaking to her fair visitor and not her husband.

"Why, it had eight gores, just as I tell you," remarked Mrs. Mudridge-Smith, "which goes to show that you are a fortunate woman not to have a dress made till you get back from the country, for if the waist line IS coming back and if skirts are to be wider, I just might as well throw my new things away!"

"Oh, you make me tired!" said Mrs. Jarr, for sometimes she got very impatient with her fashionable friend. "I member, before you married old man Smith, you were glad to have me help you make over the out-of-style dresses your rich aunt used to send you."

"Hush!" said Mrs. Mudridge-Smith, pleadingly, indicating that Mr. Jarr, an untidied listener, stood within hearing. "I won't shush for you or anybody else," replied Mrs. Jarr decidedly. "You need somebody to speak a little common sense to you once in a while! Now go on with what you were saying about the new styles."

"Well, I told you I saw a skirt with eight gores, and black is much in vogue for fall wear, and the waist is coming back," said Mrs. Jarr, looking at her husband.

"Where has it been?" asked Mr. Jarr, now chipping into the conversation again in the hope Mrs. Jarr might order him out of the house.

"But the ladies paid no attention to him," Mrs. Jarr threaded a needle, and she was taking some plumes off an old hat and putting them onto a new "shape," and both ladies ignored the enquirer at the mysteries.

"Madame Smith tells me she thinks the waist will be stationary, until after the war, at least, and we can be guided by Paris again. But I wouldn't be surprised if it went under the arms, almost—you know the waist line was down almost to the knees last year."

"It keeps a man busy trying to find the place to put his arm, doesn't it?" said Mr. Jarr. "Just as soon as a man gets used to one location they shift it on him."

"You mind your business!" replied Mrs. Jarr, turning on him. "I never saw such a man! When you want him around he won't be, and when you don't want him around, why here he is!"

"Well, if the wide skirts are coming to again, a man is useful when you haven't a dress form to drape the skirt you are fixing over," remarked Mrs. Mudridge-Smith. "Poor, dear, papa, when he was alive, how he did dread to stand up and have a skirt draped on him."

Mrs. Jarr paused in the act of biting off a thread and regarded her visitor with wide-open eyes.

"Well, of all the catty remarks I ever heard!" she exclaimed. "Catty remarks, how catty remarks! I didn't mean to say anything catty, I am sure!" cried Mrs. Mudridge-Smith in alarm.

"Your hidden meanings are very deep," Clara Mudridge-Smith said Mrs. Jarr reproachfully. "But I can fashion your skirts on your father to imply that you were now married to a man who could let you run accounts with the highest-priced modistes and so you didn't have to drape skirts on him, while I was still poor and had to drape skirts on my husband, and, and—"

"And here Mrs. Jarr's indignation choked her.

"Don't excite yourself on my account," said Mr. Jarr, coming forward; "poor I may be, but I'll buy you all the dresses I can afford, and never will I pose as a dressmaker's dummy to have skirts draped on me!"

"You're just nervous, dear!" said Mrs. Mudridge-Smith, soothingly, and ignoring Mr. Jarr again. "You're just back from your vacation and you are all fagged out. Come, I'll take you down-town!"

Meantime, Don't Overlook the Fact That Axel Gets \$1000 a Week for All This!

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By VIC.



A Contented Woman.

THE automobile was being mended, or efforts were being made to mend it, at the roadside, and the lady from the city was conversing with the lady of the little farmhouse.

"This certainly is the loveliest spot I should think you would be a very contented woman?" The view, at the turn of the road.

"View, at the turn of the road?" the lady of the farmhouse was darning stockings. "It can stay there for all of me. I don't see it once in three months."

"You don't care for scenery?" "Dunno whether I care for it or not. Ain't got no time to look at it."

"Well, certainly, you have a very comfortable little home around you here."

"Maybe if you could see it in the winter time, when the drifts is piled up 'most to the roof—it's that lonesome!"

"Why? Is your husband away in winter?" "My husband's here, of course. My girl, 15, 'n' my boy, 11. Oh, there's enough of 'em. You'd think so, if you had to do for 'em."

"Have you lived here all your life?" "I ain't lived here but five years. Never wanted to come here in the first place."

"You would rather live in the city?" "Land! There ain't nothin' I'd hate more than the city!"

"Ah—a village, then?" "I never see the village I'd care to live in! Don't amount to shucks, any of 'em!"

After a pause the lady from the city began again, bravely:

"You have a very splendid lot of chickens—and turkeys, too!" "Yes, it ain't very splendid to feed 'em and look after 'em—then they're laying away or gittin' run over with things! I wouldn't keep no fowls if it was me to say!"

"But your apple orchard is a beauty! We noticed it as we came along."

"Nothin' in apples. 'Fay' lay and rot. Nobody wants 'em 'round here. We don't."

"Well, your pears and peaches?" "What's them? Got to can 'em for dear life—work like a slave. Ain't worth it, I say!"

Another pause.

"Were you born in America?" asked the lady from the city.



"What did you say when that silly Miss Pryde told you her face was her fortune?"

"I offered to pay her carfare."

the lady from the city, out of the depths of an astonished curiosity.

"No, glad I wasn't. Born in the old country—10 years old when I came here."

"Oh, you can remember the life there?"

"All I want to remember."

"Then, perhaps, you long to go back?"

"Back? To the old country? I wouldn't be found dead there. No old country for me!"

"Where would you like to live—if you could choose the place?" asked the lady from the city, in a last desperate effort. "I don't know as I'd like to live nowhere. But people got to live, so I s'pose I might as well live here!"—Puck.

Getting Even With Her.

GET away from here, or I'll call my husband!" threatened the hard-faced woman who had just refused the tramp some food.

"Oh, no, you won't," replied the tramp, "because he ain't home."

"How do you know?" asked the woman.

"Because," answered the man, as he sidled toward the gate, "a man who marries a woman like you is only home at meal time."

"Did you ever try that tailor I recommended to you?"

"Yes, too expensive. Got two suits from him—one dress suit, one law suit."

The Vital Question.

A CHICAGO business man with many relatives, some of whom were well-to-do but grasping, recently sought the services of his lawyer to draw up his will. When, after much labor, the document was completed, his client asked: "Have you fixed this thing, as I wished it, tight and strong?"

"I have done my best," said the lawyer.

"Well," continued the client, "I want to ask you another thing—not professional, however. As a friend, and man to man, who do you think stands the best chance of getting the property when I am gone?"—Harper's Magazine.

At the Opera.

A CERTAIN Representative in Congress, from the West, is very fond of music, and it annoys him to a degree at the opera to perceive the inattention of the audience.

One night when he had slipped over to New York to visit the Metropolitan a friend found him supping at a Broadway establishment.

"I have been to the opera," said he, in response to the other's inquiry. "What did you hear?"

"I heard," said the Representative, "that the Twitters are going to get a divorce, that young Van Gilder has married an English barmaid, and that Mrs. J. C. Spockelmeyer is gradually pawning her jewels."

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